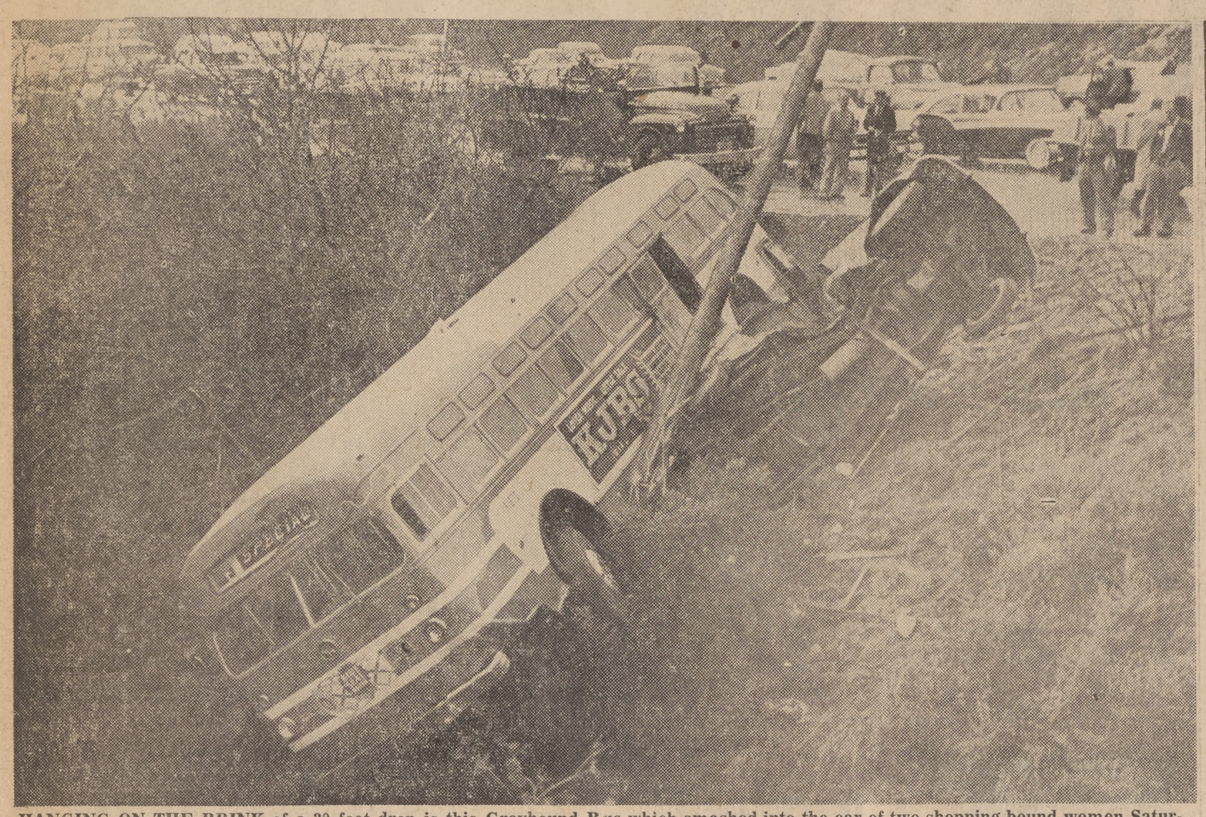
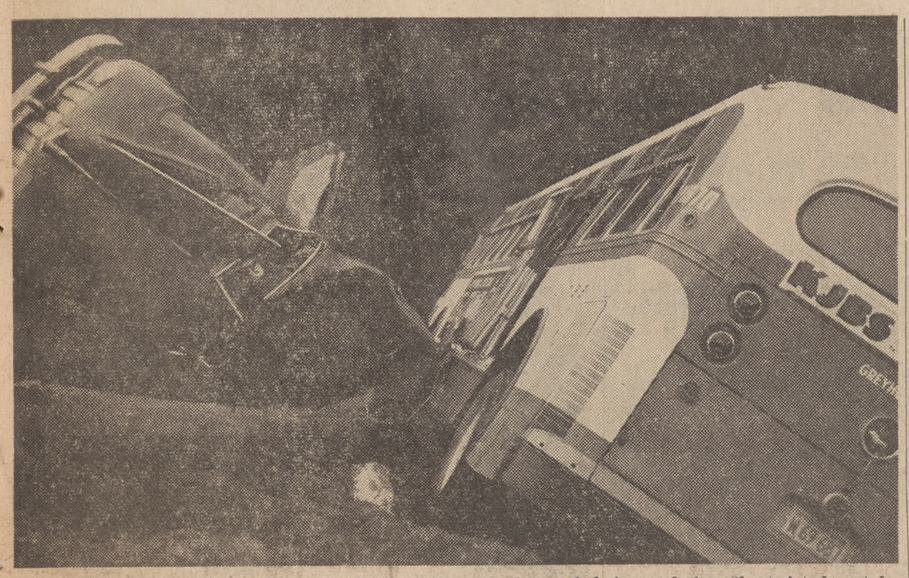


HANGING ON THE BRINK of a 30 foot drop is this Greyhound Bus which smashed into the car of two shopping-bound women Saturday on Mt. Diablo Boulevard, just west of the Orinda Interchange. The bus driver, Levi D. McNeese, 1410 Dewing Lane, Walnut Creek was heading for Concord with his empty bus when the crash occured. —Sun photos by Mattson

INJURED ON RAIN SLICK Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Saturday were Mrs. Jean Cunningham and Mary L. Fisher, both of 135 Pulido Road Danville. They suffered cuts and bruises and were taken to Kaiser Hospital after the crash of a Greyhound Bus and the car in which the mother and daughter were riding.



TWO WOMEN were trapped for 15 minutes in the wreckage of their car before the twisted metal could be pried apart. While rescuers tried to reach the women, a mother and daughter of Danville, the bus teetered precariously on the brim of a 30 foot drop. —Sun photo

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Drinking Drivers Beware, Warns CHP

Pine Grove Parcel Sought For 150-Unit Apartments

Douglas S. Manuel of 550 Miner Road, Orinda, stated this week that he is negotiating with the Marmonte Corporation for purchase from that corporation of its 10½-acre parcel in the Pine Grove, with the aim of building apartment buildings to house 150 families.

Manuel said he would be the developer of the "close to $2 million" project and that "several substantial property owners" constituting the Zenith Corporation are his "backers in the deal."

The Marmonte Corporation last summer purchased the Pine Grove parcel from Pacific Intermountain Express Company, after PIE had held the land for over two and a half years and had succeeded in having it rezoned from Residential - Agricultural to Administrative Office District.

WHEN PIE purchased the land from the East Bay Municipal Utility District it announced plans to erect a $750,000 office headquarters there.

However, considerable community opposition developed, and PIE dropped the plans.

The land is still zoned Administrative Office District. Manuel said this week that in order to go ahead with the apartment-buildings project, if the negotiations with Marmonte are consummated, it would be necessary to have the parcel rezoned to Multiple Family classification.

A PRIME CONSIDERATION in any pushing of the project, Manuel emphasized, will be the approval of the Orinda Association. He said he has discussed the matter with Association President Gene Estes and has expressed the desire for an early meeting with the association board.

Manuel said that Estes has informed him that the next regular board meeting will not be held until January 13 and that it would be difficult to call a special meeting during the holiday period. However, he said Estes suggested that he (Manuel) informally tell the directors about his project next Monday night, when most members of the association board are expected to be at the ballot-counting in the annual election of association directors.

The ballot-counting session is scheduled for 8 p.m. Monday at the Orinda Community Church.

Estes confirmed that Manuel has been asked by him to discuss the matter informally wih board members next Monday night, and Manuel stated that he fully intends to do so.

MANUEL DESCRIBED the Zenith Corporation as having its office in the Builders' Exchange Building in Oakland and as consisting of several men, two of whom live and own property in Orinda and the rest of whom live in Berkeley and Piedmont.

He added that the Zenith Corporation members desire to remain anonymous for the time being.

"If and when this project at the Pine Grove is developed, it would be along the lines that the people of Orinda wanted," Manuel said.

HE STATED that if the Orinda Association board opposes his plans or if he meets with strong opposition in the necessary rezoning, the entire idea would be dropped.

"What we have in mind," Manuel explained, "is a high-class housing development, not more than two stories in height. If we purchase the site from Marmonte, the cost of the land would probably be in the neighborhood of $175,000.

"The residents in these buildings would in the main be people who would eventually buy their own homes in this area.

"The whole project would run close to being a $2 million development.

IN THE NEGOTIATIONS regarding the possible sale of the Pine Grove parcel by the Marmonte Corporation, Ed Wallace's real estate office at Orinda Crossroads is acting as the broker for Marmonte, Manuel said.

"We hope that sewers, streets and the like will be in before next winter," Manuel said.

Manuel has been an Orinda resident for six years. He briefly described his background as follows: Has developed a number of subdivisions; for about eight years, until 1945, was assistant director of the Federal Housing Administration for Northern California and Nevada; for 17 years was an official of the American Trust Company, until 1937—among his duties he served as a branch manager and was in charge of the loan program.

Association's Ballot-Counting Will Be Monday

Ballots in the annual election of Orinda Association directors will be counted Monday night by the association's canvass committee.

The committee session will be at the Orinda Community Church and will start at 8o'clock, according to President Gene Estes.

Impartial observers of the ballot-counting will be the Rev. Chauncey Blossom of the Orinda Community Church and Stanley Allen, vice-president of the Orinda Chamber of Commerce, Estes said.

MEMBERS of the canvass committee are:

Norman Cunningham, chairman; Fran Allen, Harold Havre, Channing Kilburn, Stan Massie, Bud Felker, George Dakin, Chuck Hansen, Jim Felchin.

The six new directors will serve during 1958 with holdover directors Art Flint, Fred Twining and Norman Cunningham, lang with Estes, who, as immediate past president, will be a director-at-large next year.

CANDIDATES for the two-year terms are: To replace Marvin Baker—H .C. Booth, Donovan DeWitt, Rachel Koehler; to replace Holland DuBois—Danold E. Manuel, William Thornton White Jr.; to replace Gene Estes—Richard W. Leland, Arthur A. Pedersen; to replace Robert Walpole—Lyle Gardiner, Heber Smith; to replace Claire Ward—Donald Anderson, Kenneth B. Anderson, Eric H. Nielsen.

Candidates for the unexpired term of Mrs. Adie are Howard J. Dauphinee and Dr. Ralph C. Hall. Dr. Hall is the present chairman of the associatioin's Civic Affairs Committee

Orinda Man of Year Will Be Announced Next Week

Selection of the Orinda Man of the Year for 1957 will be announced in next Friday's issue of The Sun.

The Orinda Man of the Year Committee, headed by Gene Estes, was winding up its deliberations this week. During the past few weeks it has been studying the civic records of many local citizens.

On the committee with Estes, who is president of the Orinda Association, are Maynard Buehler, president of the Orinda Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. James Irwin, president of the Orinda Mothers Club.

SUGGESTIONS from the public have aided the committee in its deliberations.

The annual Orinda Man of the Year award is sponsored by The Sun, but selection is entirely up to the committee.

In its studies the committee considers citizens' contributions toward the betterment of Orinda.

THE HONORED PERSON will receive a certificate, to be presented at a dinner gathering January 11 at the Orinda Willows.

The dinner is being sponsored by the Orinda Junior Chamber of Commerce in association with The Sun.

At this affair Orinda Jaycees will present their own special award to Professor Robert Karplus, who has been chosen Orinda's Outstanding Young Man of 1957.

Howard Plea Set for Today In US Court

Ronald Howard, executive director of the Contra Costa Housing Authority will be arraigned today in United States District Court in San Francisco by Judge George B. Harris.

Howard has been indicted by a federal grand jury on charges alleging Howard converted government property for personal use.

BERNARD PETRIE, assistant United States Attorney in San Francisco who is prosecuting the case, stated that Howard may make his plea today or perhaps his attorney will ask the case put over for a week or so.

Petrie stated his investigations have been concluded and he is prepared to prosecute the case at any time set by Judge Harris.

Asked by The Sun if additional indictments may be forthcoming from the federal grand jury concerning the Contra Costa Housing Authority, Petrie noted that he could not give out any information on the subject.

He stated that investigations are being conducted by J. J. Sullivan, Compliance Division Investigator for the Federal Home and Housing Administration.

MEANWHILE, George Weiss, long time commissioner of the Contra Costa Housing Authority (since 1941) threatened to resign his position "because of the lack of backing by the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors."

W. G. Bud Buchanan, fourth district supervisor, informed The Sun that so many allegations and counter allegations have been thrown around that he is neither condoning the action of the housing authority or condemning its actions until he has all of the true facts before him.

RAY S. TAYLOR, chairman of the board of supervisors, stated that the board as a body has never criticized the housing authority commissioner and has felt the commission has done a pretty good job.

"The law is pretty clear and we have very little to say about what the commission does. If a commissioner wants to quit, it's his right. All the supervisors do is appoint men to the commission for four year terms," said Taylor.

Free X-Rays Are Available

Free chest X-rays will be available to residents of the central county area, 1 year and over, next Friday.

The X-ray unit will be located at 1400 Broadway in the Broadway Shopping Center. It will be open to the general public from 2 to 5 p.m. and from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Free chest X-rays are provided by the County Health Department as a part of its Tuberculosis Control Program.

Housing Authority Junkets, Expenses Paid to Commissioners Under Study

Complete details of junkets made by commissioners of the Contra Costa Housing Authority and expenses paid for these trips are being prepared for The Sun by the authority's comptroller.

Although Gerould Gill, chairman of the board of commissioners of the Housing Authority, stated the books were private and he would have to call a meeting of the board to get its feeling on the matter, The Sun will print the details next week. The information is being compiled by Al Hills, comptroller of the authority.

THE SUN asked Hills for the information concerning trips made by Ronald Howard, executive director of the Housing Authority; Gill, George Weiss, commissioner; Wilfred Carpenter, commissioner, Frank Bray, attorney; and employees of the authority.

Hills stated he wished to cooperate with The Sun in presenting the information on the trips for publication, but he was afraid of losing his job.

"All publicity concerning the authority must be released by Mr. Gill," said Hills.

GILL REFUSED to release the information on the grounds it was not public property and that he would have to ask the rest of the board whether or not it wished people shuffling through the books.

The Sun contacted Bray and asked for his opinion on the matter. Bray commented that he couldn't see any reason at all why the books could not be inspected by any interested party. They are public property.

Within 30 minutes of the original phone call to Gill, Gill was called by The Sun to be informed of Bray's opinion. Gill was unavailable he had "just left for Merced."

Calling Hills, The Sun learned that he could not find some papers which he thought had all the information briefly noted on them and was preparing to go through the files to check yearly trips

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by Gill to Washington and other cities for conventions and other cities in the east on matters of business for the authority.

Arrangements were made with Hills to discuss the junkets and expenses today in Martinez.

IN AN EARLIER conversation with Gill, The Sun learned that Howard was still on the job and would be until January 10. Howard resigned following an indictment on a single count by a federal grand jury.

Warren Harrold, 69, 35 Ardillo Road, Orinda, was named to the $991 a month position of executive director by the board of the housing authority.

Harrold, long time member of the board from 1941-50), has received $680 a month since 1954 as an adviser to the board of housing commissioners and supervisor of disposition of temporary housing projects.

Gill commented that Howard would remain on the payroll until January 10 so that he can brief Harrold with the duties of the executive director. Harrold started work yesterday afternoon. Harrold was executive director prior to Howard's appointment in 1954.

GEORGE WEISS and Gill praised Howard for bringing the projects out of the red. Gill has often commented that the authority has never operated on taxpayers money and has always been in the black.

Gill explained to The Sun the circumstances involved which led to the federal indictment of Howard.

Howard stands accused of converting galvanized pipe belonging to the United States Public Housing Administration and valued at $793.10.

"There has been a terrible mistake and I'm sure of Howard's innocence," Gill said.

"The case is a little strange inasmuch as the two men who can prove that the pipe belonged to Howard are dead," Gill continued.

"HOWARD HAD done several favors for the manager of the Lompoc Housing Authority. The manager (whose name Gill did not recall) asked Howard if he needed some pipe. Howard said he was building a house and would need it.

"Bob Raine, a friend of Howard's and of the manager, was a witness to the conversation and knew the real story—Both are now dead, he said.

At a special board meeting December 19 in Martinez, the housing commissioners accepted Howard's resignation only if it did not prejudice Howard's reemployment by the authority and if Howard would receive full accrued pay, accumulated leave, sick leave and vacation pay as well as full pay while briefing his successor, Harrold.

Big Bus Hits Car, Injures Two Women

A large passenger bus went out of control on rain-swept pavement last Saturday morning, just north of the Orinda Crossroads, and plunged off the east side of the freeway, taking a car and two women shoppers with it. Both women were rushed to Kaiser Hospital Walnut Creek with severe cuts and bruises.

This was the most spectacular accident of the holiday season through Christmas Day, and California Highway Patrol officials said yesterday that only minor accidents have occurred since.

The bus-car collision happened mid-morning when north-bound Greyhound driver Levi D. McNeese, 54, of 1410 Dewing Lane, Walnut Creek, swerved to avoid another car, entered the dividing strip, and careened back across the road, he told CPH officers.

THE CAR with the women was also headed north. The impact flung the car to the side of the road, standing it on end. The bus snapped a power pole, and came to rest, perched over a 30 foot drop into a stream.

The bus was marked "chartered", and had no passengers.

The injured women, Mrs. Mary Fisher, 57, and her daughter, Mrs. Jean Cunningham, 35, both of Danville, are in "very good" condition at Kaiser.

Several power lines were loosened by the crash but none were broken.

IN ANOTHER accident the same day, Mrs. Pearl Bosye, 55, of 3158 Gloria Terrace, Pleasant Hill, was treated by her own physician, and released, after her car and two others collided.

Charles Smith, 53, of 1749 Hollywood Road, Lafayette, drove onto Pleasant Hill Road, and was caught between Mrs. Bosye's car and a car driven by Clark Morehouse, 35, of Concord.

Morehouse was thrown from his car, but only Mrs. Bosye was hurt in the resulting pileup.

She was a passenger in the car driven by her husband.

1/3 Inch Is Week's Total

More than a third inch of rain was recorded Saturday night in Orinda but otherwise, moisture has provided a small problem to motorists, in comparison to the downpours of recent years.

Temperatures dipped to 26 on Saturday and 25 on Sunday, and two other readings were freezing or near-freezing.

Approximate readings during the past week are as follows:

	High	Low
December 19	64	42
December 20	57	45
December 21	54	26
December 22	59	25
December 23	64	31
December 24	61	35
December 25	62	38

Highway Patrol Chief Promises Heavy Fines, Jail

An all out campaign against drinking drivers went into effect today in an effort to control needless deaths and injuries over the new year's holidays, according to Captain R. R. Magill of the California Highway Patrol.

"No quarter will be given to drinking drivers and traffic laws will be strictly enforced by every man at our disposal, said Magill.

OVER THE Christmas holidays 20 drinking drivers were taken into custody in comparison with 18 drunks in 1956. In 1956 over 300 accident causings violations were cited and 15 accidents causing three deaths and 35 injuries were logged by the CHP.

This year, the CHP logged 12 accidents with two deaths.

"Every man will be on duty over the New Year's holiday. There will be traffic checks and visual inspection of motor vehicles There are stiff fines for drnk driving," he said.

IF YOU ARE convicted of drunk driving, you are subject to six months in the county jail or $500 fine or both. If there is someone injured under a drunk drivng and njury involved charge, you are subject to felony charges and if convicted subject from one to five years in the state penitential and fines of not less than $200 nor more than $5000.

"We're going to cover this county like a blanket and the driking driver can expect the maximum penalties or fines," Magill pointed out.

"HIGHWAY PATROLMEN are not hardened to a point of not wishing everyone a Happy New Year, but death and injury are not to be taken lightly. Anyone who drinks and drives is a menace and has the potential to kill. He will be dealt with accordingly," said Magill.

In Walnut Creek, Police Chief Leigh Brilliant stated that drunk drivers would be treated the same as they are every other day of the year—arrested.

No special road checks or law enforcement officers were to be used by the Walnut Creek Police Department, the chief told The Sun.

"WE ARE NOT going to take any chances," said Magill. "Anyone who even looks like he's been drinking or is stopped in a traffic check will be taken in."

There is much more to the holiday than drunk drivers. We will be most severe with speeders and reckless drivers. Everyone should exercise extreme caution while on the highways or county roads, he said.

"There is no reason why anyone should speed. We expect heavy traffic, the roads will be crowded. Driving slowly will get you there much faster, Magill pointed out.

Prizes Galore ARE IN STORE FOR ORINDA'S First Baby

Orinda First Baby of '58 Will Get Royal Welcome

The first baby to be born in 1958 to local parents will receive many gifts from local merchants —and so will the parents.

The annual Orinda First Baby of the Year contest sponsored by The Orinda Sun and the Sun Shopping News will thus mean a real "royal" welcome for the lucky newcomer.

THE RULES are:

1. The winning baby must be born to parents residing in Orinda, Moraga or Canyon.
2. Written statement by physician must specify exact time of birth.
3. Phone pertinent data to The Orinda Sun and the Sun Shopping News—CL 4-4343.

RESIDENCE of the parents locally (in Orinda, Moraga or Canyon) is the requirement for eligibility in the contest — not where the baby is born.

For local merchants offering gifts in the Orinda First Baby of the Year contest, see the announcements in the advertisements in this issue.

Suburbia Scribblings

By MARIE MONAHAN

Late Christmas cards . . .

Christmas cards still coming in? Ours, too! This portion having been drowned in the mails last week—

WE ARE NOT FORGETTING YOU, dear Hambergs & Hendersons, Jean & Stu!

Nor Ginnie & Ted Howes, our neighbors dearim. And you too, over there, June & George Merriam!

Around the tree we'll have to dance, w/Dorothy Barden & her Lance!

HAVE A TRULY YULEY DAY, Jan & Henry Soubielle, PLEASE pronounce it Su-be-ay!

To the Thranes, Pauline & Fin, may your presents NOT be thin —May they be high, wide & fat, Hagstroms, Mildred Laws & Scat, friend Bob Williams & his Nat! Ditto Derickx, Joe & Fran, may yours, too, be bigger THAN!

Huntingtons, hope you make a "killing"—but no fair exchanging, family Schilling!

FILL SOX FOR Parkers & Spittlers (Ethel & Spike) and don't forget Dugeners, Lois & Mike—Who probably STILL feel somewhat saddy—at Losing Doug & Dorothy Adie!

And still more in the mailbox!

Boxes tied w/big red bows, for Starks & Marks & Reeds & Rowes! Zacharias, Hank & Marcia, families Hammonds, Henry, Harsha!

Yes, GUESS WHO'S coming to our town—to housetops Smith, Long, Jones & Brown! Better behave, Kilburns, Kerrigans, Kielys, or he'll leave YOUR share at the Gillivans & O'Reillys. We know Santa will not stint, at Fergusons, Fagers, Fox & Flint.

MELE KALEKIMAKA as they say in the Isles—to the Kochers & Kauffmans, Lid & Kirk Miles!

May your Eve be bright & white, dentists Garbarino, Light!

No Emergencies, Please, to complain . . . to Drs. Slattery, McEligot, Prlain! Let them have a peaceful night, pharmacists Delos & Wright!

And may it be a QUIET day, for Gertrude Ogden, Elizabeth Gray!

FROLICHE WEINACHTEN (dig that German!) to the Schmidts & the Schneiders, to publisher Herman—that's Silverman & his Eleanor, & the Jules Rosenthals, John & Mary Dorr, to Betty & Bob arplus, we wish you well! The same wish goes for Paul Vashell!

For the Fairchilds, Ohleyers, Goulds & Grimes, we wish the Merriest of Times!

WE SEND GREETINGS, William Keatings, Chuck Currier & Lon —to Gibbses ALL, Van Dynes small & tall, to Nan Davidson & her Don! To Davisons, Jim, to Smiths, Con & Fae, the Merrells & Farrells & family Bray. And WHO can be jollier, than Liz & John Folliard? (We're just about ready to call it a day!)

A star-spangled whopper, for Howard, Hill, Hopper—for Ainsworth, Anzilotti, a season so jolly, for Gene & June Estes, for Chas. Blue & his Molly. And lest we forget, the Zablockis, by golly!

Cards on time for Happy New Year!

For Courtneys & Angers, we'll pop a cork—a toast to Dick Dildine & Ork.

GOOD HEALTH, GOOD LUCK & Long Prosperity, to Waynes, McBanes, Hal & Sib O'Flaherty!

To Behrs & Baers & Clarks & Phairs, to Randall, Ben, and then agani, Auld Lang Syne we'll sing for all, the Bonds & Booths, Bell, Rupsenthal!

Hope your New Year is a NIFTY, architects Littlejohn & Caleman!

And that EVERYONE'$ I$ Thrifty, bankers Chapman, Brown & Bolman!

May '58 be a diz of a whiz, for the Walpoles & Wards, Cunninghams, Norm & Liz.

On Staffords & Sharps, throw tons of CONFETTI! Throw MORE on Irwins, Jim & Betty!

Toss up a roll of serpenteen, for Marvin Kennedy & Rene!

LET US, LOUDLY, CLANG & BANG, for Arends, McLarens, Chris & Bill Lang!

To Carters & Cliffords, another Toast, to Vureks, Voights, Van Sickles, we wish The Most. And hope your year will be just keeney, June & Robt. Beconcini!

HOPE NO ONE EVEN thinks of pillows—while celebrating at Irv's WILLOWS! And that the crowd is overflowing, Claremont-ing, CASA-Oing!

May you ALL be enervated, so New Year's Eve is celebrated, and parties big & parties small, we'll write them up, just give a call! HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL!

3 to 2 Vote Overrules Planners' Suggestions

By a vote of 3 to 2, the County Board of Supervisors last week approved the E. J. Ghiglione-Russell Bruzzone application for rezoning of 147 acres in Happy Valley, Lafayette, from Suburban (one-acre minimum lot-size) to Transition Residential-Agricultural (half-acre minimum lot-size).

Technically, the vote was on the latest recommendation of the County Planning Commission that the long-pending application be denied.

Following an hour of pro and con arguments from the floor at the board chambers in the Hall of Records building in Martinez, Supervisor Mel Nielsen moved that the commission recommendation be upheld. His motion was seconded by Supervisor W. G. Buchanan.

THE VOTE FOUND Nielsen and Buchanan in favor of upholding the Planning Commission, and Supervisors Ray Taylor, Ivan Goyak and Joseph Silva against the commission recommendation.

Prior to the supervisorial vote, speakers from the floor presented their arguments.

Arguing in favor of the proposed rezoning were Judge Sam Hall, legal counsel for Ghiglione and Bruzzone; Russell Bruzzone himself and Juanita MacHugh, representing the Association for the Progress and Improvement of Contra Costa County.

Speaking against the rezoning application were Attorney Marion Plant, representing the Happy Valley Improvement Association, and H. P. Stewart, president of the association.

AFTER THE ARGUMENTS from the floor, County Planning Director Thomas Heaton presented the views of the county planning staff and the County Planning Commission.

Then, after some discussion among themselves, the supervisors voted on the matter.

The supervisorial hearing was on December 19.

Following the supervisorial hearing, Principal County Planner H. Russell Griffith said that the supervisors' action terminated the bitter dispute which, in one form or another, has been in existence ever since the Happy Valley area was zoned Suburban nine years ago and which has flared sharply during the past two or three years.

In the supervisorial discussion preceding the vote, Nielsen urged support of the Planning Commission. He cited the many times the matter had come up, and stressed that all points had been thoroughly considered by the commission and its staff.

Buchanan also declared that the commission recommendation should be upheld.

for the proud Mother of Orinda's First Baby of 1958 . . .

A Lovely Slip

from our exquisite collection of lingerie

Country Club Togs
ORINDA VILLAGE
ACROSS from the GOLF COURSE

101 Orinda Highway, CLifford 4-2421

Congratulations!
to the lucky parents of Orinda's 1st Baby of 1958

Our Gift to the new Dad . . .

a box of 25 CORINA LARK CIGARS

T & D LIQUORS

Located in Blacks Market, Orinda

A Royal Gift . . .

for the new royalty

a STERLING SILVER CUP for Orinda's first 1958 Baby from . . .

Tobias

ORINDA JEWELRY

Orinda Theatre Bldg., Orinda CL 4-3844

$5 Cleaning Order

TO THE PARENTS OF ORINDA'S 1ST BABY OF 1958

Season's Greetings to you all

Tommie Horton

QUALITY CLEANERS

235 Brookwood Rd. CLifford 4-2657

Congratulations to Orinda's 1st Baby of 1958

and a dress-up saque set

Quilted orlon — so easy to wash and so dainty to wear visiting!
from

Heaven to Eleven

Infant's and children's wear to size 14

124 Park Street, Rheem Center DR 6-5007

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for the baby that sets the record for arrivals in

1958

Rock and Roll the baby to sleep or select a lullaby.

for the best in records it's

PATIO MUSIC SHOP

PHONE DR 6-4040

Bringing You everything in music—HiFi Sets, Sheet Music, Records, Instruments. In the Sheet Music, Records, Instruments In the Patio Shop, RHEEM CENTER

$5 Merchandise Order

For the First Baby born to Orinda Parents in 1958

ORINDA HARDWARE

56 Moraga Hwy., Orinda
CLifford 4-2585

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TO THE FIRST BABY AND HIS PARENTS . . .

Our welcome present: 1 year subscription to

ORINDA SUN

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Let the First Changes Be On Us!

OIL CHANGE and LUBRICATION

To the Parent of First Baby 1958

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22 BRYANT WAY . . . DICK . . . CL 6-9920

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a $5 Gift Order

Select a plant for Mom, or a Tree to grow up with the New Baby.

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1 Mile East of Orinda on Road to Moraga

For the First Orinda Baby's First Shoes

Pied Piper

always carefully fitted for proper growth!

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VILLAGE SHOE SHOP

SHOES FOR THE FAMILY—EXPERT SHOE REPAIR

21 Orinda Hiway Village Shopping Center CLifford 4-2535

1 Gallon Pink or Blue (or any color you wish)

OLYMPIC Interior Paint

Your Choice . . . Flat Wall, Latex Semi-Gloss or Hi-Gloss Enamel

LAWLER'S PAINT STORE

70 Moraga Highway, Orinda CL 4-4266

Closed Dec. 29 thru Jan. 1

SEASON'S GREETINGS

For Orinda's Royal Baby —1958's First

Carter's PLAY PAJAMAS

with matching bootees in the new Baby Bear Print

Nothing cuter. Carter's cotton knit terry three-piece pajama set. For play-time, nap-time, or sleep-time. Gently elasticized at neck, cuffs, pant top and ankles. Washable, colorfast, and never needs ironing.

Carter-Set — so won't shrink out of fit.

In Pink or Blue Baby Bear

Orinda PIXIE SHOP
TOGS AND TOYS

"Everything for Boys and Girls"

55 Orinda Highway CL 4-2958

WORK HAS BEGUN on the new office building which will contain the activities of the Contra Costa County Real Estate Board. It will be located on Locust Street, just south of the First Church of Christ, Scientist. Groundbreakers were left to right, Arch McKinley, Board president; Jesse (Nick) Carter and Bill Hayward—Sun staff photo

Kracke Tells Candidacy For W.C. Judicial Post

Frederick C. Kracke, executive vice-president and legal counsel for the General Contractors Association of Contra Costa County, this week announced his candidacy for judge of the Walnut Creek Judicial District.

Several weeks ago Kracke said he was "seriously considering" running for the post in the June 3, 1958, election, but his statement this week was his first definite announcement.

Judge Clifford Thomson, who has held the post for many years, has announced that he will not seek reelection.

"I FEEL THAT with my varied background in the business and professional world I can bring to the bench of the Walnut Creek Judicial District a broad concept of human needs and their relationship to the law," Kracke said.

Kracke lives at 1870 Glenview Drive, Walnut Creek, with his wife, Barbara Jeanne, and their three children, Sharon Lynn, 16; Gregory Charles, 13, and Kevin Richard, who will be 5 next month.

He has been executive vice-president of the Contractors Association for more than nine years.

THE WALNUT CREEK Judicial District includes Walnut Creek, Lafayette, Orinda, part of Pleasant Hill and a portion of Alamo.

A native of San Francisco, Kracke, now 39, attended grammar school and high school in San Francisco and for a time attended the University of California, where his main studies were geology and fruit chemistry.

While working in the shipyards during World War II he studied at the Golden Gate College of Law in San Francisco.

Meanwhile, he continued his correspondence-course study of law. He was admitted to the bar in 1952 and has practiced law since then.

KRACKE IS PROMINENT in many civic activities. He is president of the Central Contra Costa County Mental Health Association, a director of the Contra Costa County Development Association, a director and secretary of the Association for the Progress and Improvement of Contra Costa County, a director and cofounder of the Apprenticeship Council of Contra Costa County and a member of the Steering Committee for Youth Employment, which is sponsored by the Mt. Diablo Unified School District.

He conducted a freshman orientation program on building trades opportunities, at Pleasant Hill, Mt. Diablo and Pacifica High Schools. With Archie Mooney, former chief of the State Division of Apprenticeship Standards, he participated in formation of a construction industry supervisory training course at the East and West Campuses of Contra Costa Junior Chamber of Commerce.

He was general chairman of the "pilot project" conference last June at Acalanes High School on career opportunities in the building trades.

IN 1943 Kracke was labor relations representative for the Alameda County Building Trades Council. In 1945 and 1946 he was an inspector for the Wage-Hour Public Contracts Division of the U. S. Department of Labor.

He was secretary and a legislative representative of the Home Builders Council of California in 1951 and again in 1954.

Kracke is a member of the State Bar of California, the Central Contra Costa County Bar Association, the Contra Costa County Bar Association, the San Francisco Bar Association and the American Bar Association.

HIS WIFE is a past president of Santa Maria Branch of the Junior Guild of Providence Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Kracke belong to the Contra Costa Golf Club.

The two older Kracke children attend school in Walnut Creek. Sharon Lynn is a senior at Las Lomas High School, and Gregory Charles is a student at Parkmead Intermediate School.

Vacationing

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bruzzone, 3475 Monroe Avenue, Lafayette, were recent visitors at the Disneyland Hotel.

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Second Annual Sun Father Children's Game Slated

Talk about bargains—and who doesn't?—The night of January 18 is really something to talk about now and to cheer about when the Second Annual Father and Children's Basketball night arrives.

That's the night that the Galloping Gales of St. Mary's College and Fresno State College tangle on the hardwoods of St. Mary's in Moraga — the game which will offer the opportunity for dad and as many youngsters as he wishes to take, to enjoy The Sun's annual Father and Children's night.

This community project is sponsored by The Sun in cooperation with St. Mary's College, which is generously making available the facilities at the St. Mary's Gym in Moraga.

Seven hundred seats have been reserved for the occasion. The Sun contains a coupon. With this coupon a father or mother may go to the January 18 game with as many youngsters up to the age of 16 as he (or she) wishes to take.

The adult will pay $1.25 for admission—and all the youngsters with him will be admitted free.

This will offer dads—and moms too—if they're basketball fans—and youngsters the chance for an enjoyable family outing. What's more the kids, and the adults as well, will be able to see some top flight collegiate basketball.

The January 18 game between St. Mary's and Fresno State will be a regular league game of the California Basketball Association.

That there will be a lot of fast action is the promise of Coach Jim Weaver, and Walt Defario, director of public relations of St. Mary's.

So—dads, mothers, kids—clip the coupons in The Sun, and mark your calendar now for that thrill-packed family outing to the St. Mary's Gym!!

After you have clipped the coupon, send it to the nearest Sun office. In Orinda send it to PO Box 147; in Lafayette, PO Box 806; in Walnut Creek to PO Box 1038 and in Pleasant Hill, PO Box 123.

Deadline for reservations is January 10. Reservations will be made on a first come-first serve basis.

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Orinda SUN, PO Box 147, Orinda.

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Plan to Retain Bay Bridge Rails Brings Forth Estimates

Recommendations for spending $17,350,000 to establish a transit system utilizing fleets of new diesel buses and the trains now operating on the Bay Bridge, have been made by engineers of the Alameda - Contra Costa Transit District.

The firm retained by the district is Delauw, Cather and Company.

The two forms of transportation would be coordinated at the Oakland side of the bridge by a $500,000 terminal, where commuters would transfer. The Mission Street terminal would be sufficient for this purpose on the San Francisco side, the engineers say.

THE BAY BRIDGE trains would eventually be replaced by rubber-tired trains, raising the total expenditures from some $17 millions to $23,700,000.

The two-county organization's plans continue to conflict directly with the "State Plan," favored also by the Bay Area Rapid Transit Commission, which will become on Tuesday the Bay Area Rapid Transit District.

The larger group's plan is for construction of a trans-bay tube, which may cost more than $70 millions.

The San Francisco Chamber of Commerce at first favored the two county suggestions, which would retain the rails now on the bridge, but last week its president, Alan K. Browne, announced that the Chamber now favors removing the rails.

REASON GIVEN is that the rails occupy much space on the bridge, and are used to the maximum only during certain times of the day.

Also, Browne spoke against a "patchwork of facilities useful in the past, but now fallen into disrepair."

The "State Plan" provides for one way "freeway" traffic only on each deck of the bridge, increasing the capacity about 35 per cent.

Browne is also the chairman of the Bay Area Rapid Transit Commission, which submitted its year-end report this week.

Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District officials say that the district will present a complete transit plan for the voters by next November.

The District's lawyer, Robert Nisbet, has been authorized to spend up to $1000 for engineering and legal work in preparations for future hearings.

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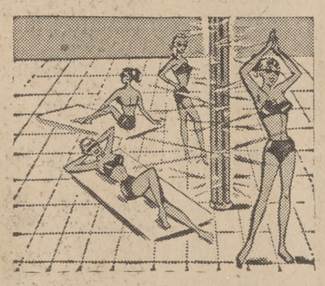

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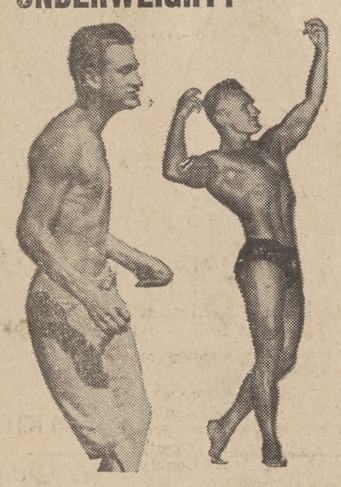

The before and after pictures of Frank Erpelding.

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Biceps	10¼"	16"
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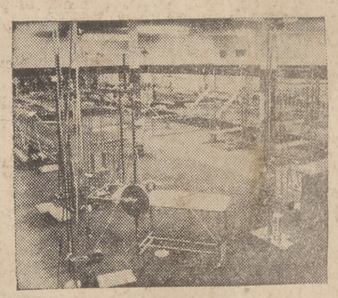

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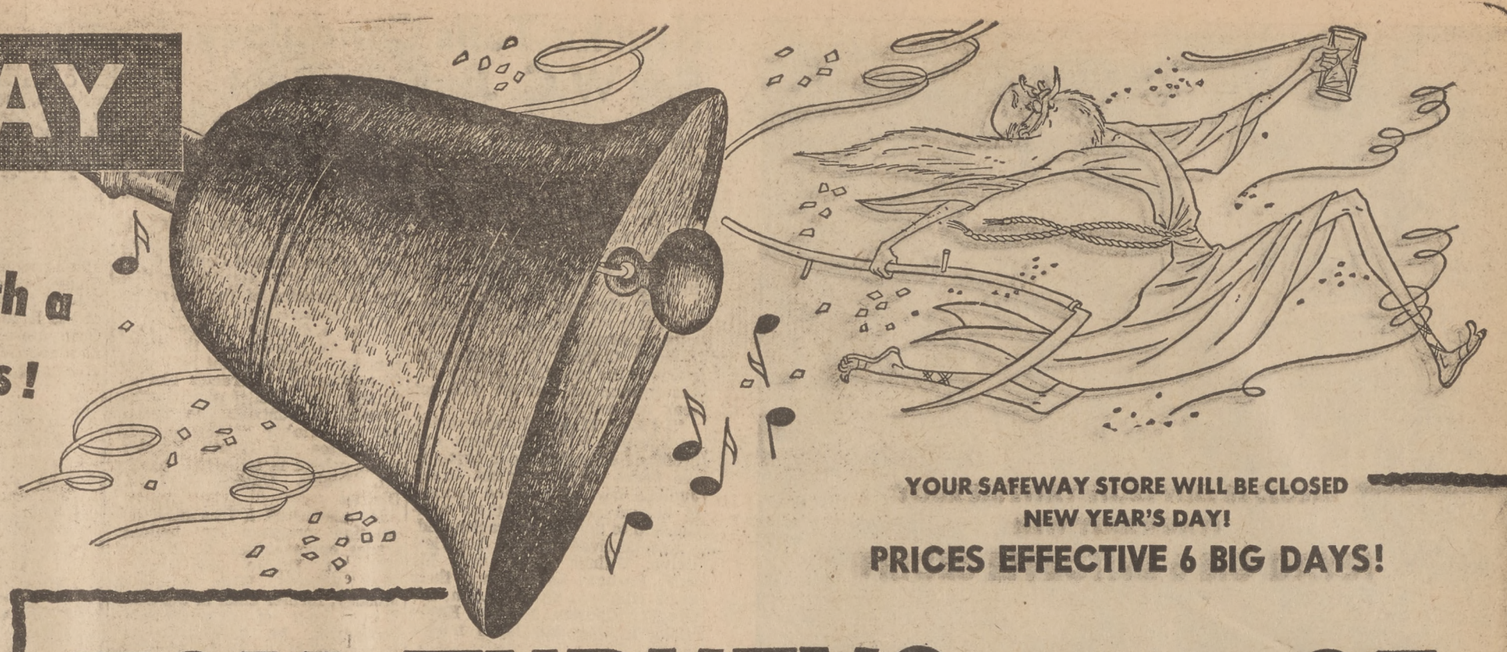

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Go to Church Sunday

Methodist

Church School's at 9:30 a.m. Sunday at the Lafayette Community Methodist Church.

Worship Services are at 9:30 and 11 a.m. The Reverend Henry Page White will deliver the sermon at both services, and as it is Student Recognition Day there will be brief messages by Miss Nancy Herrmann and Mr. Robert Roberts.

The Methodist Youth Groups will meet at 7 p.m. Sunday in the Church. New Year's Eve the Senior MYF will have a Watch Party.

Thursday the Executive Board of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at the home of Mrs. T. G. Nordlund, 3345 Moraga Blvd. at 10:30 a.m.

Congregational

The Rev. Chauncey E. Blossom will conduct identical services at 9:30 and 11 a.m. Sunday at the Orinda Community Church. The Chancel Choir, under the direction of Maurice Ellison, will sing "The New Song" by Christiansen.

Church School for three-year-olds through the 8th grade will be held at 9:30 and 11 o'clock; infant care at 11. The Youth Forum for high school grades will meet in Fellowship Hall at 11 a.m.

High School Choir and Pilgrim Fellowship will not meet on Sunday evening. On Monday the PF'ers will meet at the church at 7:30 p.m. to go ice skating. Reservations should be made through Sally Snott, CL 4-4030.

The Seafarers will meet in the home of the A. W. Elkintons, 11 Honey Hill Road on Friday evening, January 3.

Covenant

Services at the Lafayette Covenant Church Sunday will be as follows: 9:45 a.m., Sunday school for all ages; 11 a.m., morning worship, with Dr. Algoth Ohlson speaking.

Sunday evening at the 7 o'clock service a candlelight service will be held with the senior hi's in charge.

Schedule for the week will be: Monday, Boy Scout meeting at church, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting and choir practice with the new director, Clint Ingram, leading.

Episcopal

Holy Communion will be celebrated Sunday at 8 a.m. at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Orinda, with morning prayer at 9:15 and 11 a.m., with the Rev. Albert Lucas conducting, and the Rev. Andrew Daughters preaching both sermons at the later services.

Members of the St. Stephen's Junior Choir will sing "Of the Father's Love," a 13th Century pain song, at the 9:15 a.m. family service. The Senior Choir will appear at the 11 a.m. service, offering as processional "Gloria in Excelsis Deo," a French carol: "The Shepherds' Journey" by Berlioz and Mendelssohn's "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" as recessional.

Following the later service of morning prayer, Mr. Lucas will officiate at a group baptism at 12:30 p.m.

On New Year's Day, Mr. Lucas will conduct a service celebrating the Feast of the Circumcision at 10 a.m. He will be assisted by Mr. Daughters.

Preparations are under way for the last visitation of the Rt. Rev. Karl Morgan Block, Bishop of the Diocese of California, on Sunday, January 5, at 11 a.m. The bishop will confirm a group of adults and children after which he will dedicate the church undercroft as "Hill Memorial Hall,'" in memory of the first full-time vicar of St. Stephen's, the Rev. Charles M. Hill, who recently died in Nevada.

Members of the Young People's Fellowship have elected committees to prepare for the Epiphany Service on the evening of January 5, at 8 o'clock. This service, "The Feast of Lights," will be conducted by the young people themselves, under the guidance of Mr. Lucas.

Lutheran

"A King Was Troubled," will be the sermon theme at the 8:15 and 11 a.m. worship services Sunday at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1035 Carol Lane, Lafayette. The Rev. Merle O. Tollefson is the pastor. A nursery is provided during the 11 a.m. service.

Sunday school classes meet at 9:30 a.m. for pre-school through adult Bible class and at 11 a.m. for pre-school through grade 3.

Sunday at 6:30 p.m. the Senior Luther League will meet at the church for a Christmas party.

New Year's Eve services will be held at the church Tuesday at 11:15 p.m. Holy Communion will be celebrated at this service.

Thursday at 6:45 p.m. the Junior Choir will meet. The senior Choir and the adult Bible class will meet Thursday at 8 p.m.

Saturday, January 4, at 10 a.m. the confirmation classes will meet.

Baptist

"God's Ownership" will be the pastor's topic Sunday at 11 a.m. in the Willows Restaurant banquet room.

Sunday school will begin promptly at 9:30 a.m., with classes for all ages under the supervision of Roger Moore, youth director.

The evening services will convene at 2 Crest View Drive and will start with Baptist Youth Fellowship at 6:30. There will be a continuation of last week's subject, "What's Wrong with Parents?" All teenagers are invited.

Pastor Bruce H. Parker will speak on "Salvation of Convenience" at the 7:30 general service. There will be singing and special music at thpis informal meeting.

Tuesday evening, beginning at 8, there will be a special New Year's Eve celebration at 2 Crest View Drive. Thursday at 8 p.m. the midweek service of prayer and Bible study will meet to discuss the first chapter of second Peter.

Last Rites Held For Mrs. Selix

away on her birthday, December 16, at the age of 46. The Selix family recently moved to Lafayette from Albany. The mother died in her home at 1420 Reliez Valley Road.

In July, Mrs. Selix was hospitalized with two malignant tumors. She returned to her home after treatment and surgery where she remained until her demise.

Glenette Whipple was born in Waseca, Minnesota, and raised in Tracy, Minn., where she graduated from High School as valedictorian. She had been secretary to the superintendent during the regular secretary's illness, was active in dramatics and athletes as well as being assistant to the school librarian. She attended Winona State Teachers' College and taught both in rural and city schools in Minnesota for five years preceeding her marriage. She was united to Virgil W. Selix June 22, 1938, and worked in Brookings, S. Dak. A.A.A. during his last year in South Dakota State College there.

Mr. Selix entered the ministry following graduation as a licensed minister. The Selix's served churches in South Dakota, California and Colorado. Mrs. Selix was a faithful, active pastor's wife, intermittently a school teacher and the mother of four children. They are Glenwood, 16, Danny, 13, Roseeta, 12, and Donald, 9.

In 1954 the family left a mission parish in Colorado and located in the Bay Area so Mr. Selix could finish seminary at Pacific School of Religion in Berkeley.

Fellow students of Mr. Selix had charge of the funeral service including the address and music. It was held at Freeman and Cox Mortuary, 2414 Grove, Berkeley, December 19. Final resting place is in her family's lot in Waseca, Minn.

EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT WORKERS are installing enlarged water pipes along the north side of Mt. Diablo Boulevard near Oak Hill Road and along Oak Hill Road up to the vicinity of the Lafayette Bypass. Also being laid is a service pipeline along Terrace Way, in the same general area. Some of the EBMUD crew members are shown on the job at the corner of Oak Hill Road and Mt. Diablo Boulevard. The entire project is expected to be completed by about a week from now.

—Sun photo by Mattson

Baptist

First Baptist Church of Lafayette, 3653 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Lafayette:

Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. Classes for all ages; nursery for children 4 and under held at the home of Newell Mayfield, 3621 Walnut Street, Lafayette.

Morning worship hour, 11 a.m. The message will be titled "Looking Ahead."

Evening fellowship hour, 7 p.m.

Midweek prayer service will be held on Thursday this week (instead of Wednesday), 7:30 p.m.

Starting the first Sunday in January, the church group will be meeting in the Veterans Memorial Building, Lafayette.

Firemen Job Applications Being Accepted

The Lafayette Fire District is accepting applications for firemen, Fire Chief Shirley Peakes announced yesterday. Applications may be submitted until January 15, he said.

Written examinations will be conducted for all applicants at 9 a.m. January 18 at the main fire house on Moraga Road.

Application forms are obtainable at the main fire station, from Chief Peakes or Assistant Chief Edwin Maxey. Age requirement of applicants is 21 through 35. Oral interviews, medical examinations and agility tests will be given at a later date for those who qualify in the written examination.

LAST WEEK the Lafayette Fire Board called for bids for supplying a new fire engine and scheduled the opening of bids for the next meeting of the commissioners, 8 p.m. January 21 at the main fire house.

The new engine will be a four-wheel-drive, diesel-equipped pressure pumper with a 300-gallon tank of water, the chief said.

The accepting of applications fore firemen jobs and the calling for bids for the new fire negine are in connectioin with plans for fire stations 3 and 4, both of which are under construction.

STATION 3 at St. Mary's Road and Hamlin Drive is being built by contractor F. C. Kirkham of Walnut Creek. Jack Buchter is the architect. Contractor for station 4 at Upper Happy Valley Road and Los Arabis Drive is Oddone and Company of Lafayette. Paul Hammarberg is the architect.

A new 1000-gallon pumper has been received from the American LaFrance Company of Elmira, N. Y., the chief reported this week. It is at the main station, awaiting the placing of equipment on it. This is expected to be done shortly after the first of the year, according to Peakes.

DUAL-BEAM LAMPS

Dual-beam headlamps for automobiles, which provided upper and lower beams, first appeared in 1925, reports the California State Automobile Association.

Crosby Tourney Participant

Lafayette Magician Jay Bedsworth has been invited to participate in Bing Crosby's annual golfing classing classic, along with 31 other Bay Area linksters.

The pro-amateur tournament for $50,000 will be played on the Monterey Peninsula January 9-13.

Partnered with Bedsworth is pro Walker Inman. Aptos Beach golf course, at Rio Del Mar, will be the site of the annual golf tourney.

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MINIATURE TOWN has been built of some 6000 Popsicle sticks by the 35 students in the sixth grade class of Lou Latner at the Pine Grove School, Orinda. The project was the object of considerable admiration in the days before the Christmas vacation. Orinda Superintendent of Schools Joseph L. Sheaff (left) and Latner (right) look the miniature town over with three of the students —left to right, Lorie Maehler, Scott Anderson and Kathy Slattery. —Sun photo by Mattson

SHIP AHOY! is the call from Roy Soltau, as he scans the horizon during a "dry run" of the Neptuna Land and Water Cruiser, owned by Merriam J. Howells left, of Lafayette. The craft is "seaworthy" on both land and sea (note the outboard motor) and is often used by Mr. Howells on Lake Merritt. Gary Soltau and Cory Soltau practice throwing the life preserver. The craft was recently featured on a national television show. Sun photo by Jim Guthrie

ORINDA FIREMEN hope that the new calendar for 1958 will mean a new leaf for local residents, with the emphasis on fire prevention even more than heretofore. Assistant Chief Allen Winsor (left) indicates that the thought is directed toward you, while Capt. Edward Higgins points to the first leaf of the new calendar—for January. —Sun photo by Mattson

'Counts' Give Yule Baskets

The "Counts" is the name of a social club made up of high school boys from Lafayette and Orinda. This Christmas these boys all contributed food and money for Christmas baskets for needy families in this area. They ended up with four large cartons full of canned goods.

Then they dug into their treasury and bought two large hams and a few bags of candy. These they gave to Mrs. Weeks of the Christmas Bureau to distribute.

The club also has many more things planned for the future designed to help the community.

Ever since the organization of this club four years ago they have been fighting the bad reputation of social clubs in this area. The Counts are now unsponsored because of this reputation. They realize that it is hard for any merchant to take the risk of sponsoring them, for anything that the club does is reflected upon the sponsor. Club spokesmen state though, that if a club helps the community, as the "Counts" are doing, the merchant would be sponsoring a worthy group.

Any person who would like to learn more about the "Counts" or anyone who may be interested in sponsoring this club is asked by the club to contact Mickey Michael, 1701 Springbrook Road, Walnut Creek, or Art deVillers, 3484 Monroe Street, Lafayette.

Holiday Play Is Given at Canyon School

Canyon's traditional Community Christmas program, sponsored by the Community Club, was held at the Canyon School December 18.

"What—No Santa?" was the play presented by Miss Marilyn Van Heuit's upper grade classes, starring Gerald Goss as Santa and Jenny Beckman as Mrs. Santa.

Mrs. Rubyruth Beers' lower grades gave "Santa's True Meaning of Christmas," a play which they themselves helped to write and characters they chose to be: elves, fairies, angels, Christmas toys, and reindeer.

Closing their program, all 30 school children appeared on the stage together in colorful costumes singing "Merry, Merry, Merry, Merry Christmas Bells."

The climax of the evening was Santa himself with his bag full of presents for every litle boy and girl in Canyon, whom he called by name one by one to come up to receive a gift.

The Canyon program is a cooperative activity in which the Community Club finances and arranges; the school prepares the program, and the parents plan and make costumes. Mrs. A. A. Adams was chairman, assisted by Mesdames Allen Crawford, Richard Day, Charles Lucius, George Menge, and Mr. John Shally.

At 11 a.m. December 18 the school children held their Christmas Party, in which they exchanged gifts and shared Christmas cakes and cookies brought by the mothers.

'Millionaire' Is Play Based on Real People

Practically every work of fiction published and every stage play produced carries on its flyleaf or in its program a disclaimer of reference, which is a legally required statement that the characters are fictitious and that any identification with persons living or dead is purely coincidental.

"The Happiest Millionaire," the comedy hit now at the Curran Theatre for four weeks, is unique in that it has two statements on this subject. One is the usual disclaimer. The other quite the contrary.

This is necessary because nine of the characters in "The Happiest Millonaire" are patterned after real people who may very well be recognized by old friends and relatives, and even by themselves.

Four of them are still alive and they have given gleeful permission for their names to be supposed to be themselves in their youth. They are Cordelia Drexel Biddle, whose story, "My Philadelphia Father" suggested the play; her brother Anthony Drexel Biddle, formerly ambassador to Poland; another brother Brigadier General Livingston Biddle now importantly involved in Pennsylvania state affairs.

Students Prove World is Small

Proving the world is small, two American Field Service students from Avesta, Sweden, spent a day together over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Agneta Persson, who is making her home with the Charles Erickson family in Orinda, entertained Hans Strom, another AFS student, now living in Pico.

Hans is living with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mose Jr.

Agneta and Hans were schoolmates in Sweden and conversed in both Swedish and English during their visit together.

Dobey Promoted To Bank V-P

James K. Dobey, Orinda resident, has been promoted to vice-president at the Berkeley main office of American Trust Company, it is announced by Harris C. Kirk, president.

Dobey joined the bank staff in March, 1946, after four years of service as a captain in the Army Airborne Infantry.

A native of Vallejo, he was graduated from the University of California in 1940, and later completed studies at the Rutgers University graduate school of banking.

He is a director, member of the executive committee and chairman of the finance committee of the Berkeley Red Cross and is also active in the United Crusade and the Alta Bates Hospital Association.

The Dobevs live at 4 Pueblo Court with their son, James, 6.

Mrs. Pike in Stockholm

Mrs. Arthur W. Pike of Orinda recently arrived in Stockholm on the SAS polar route from Los Angeles to spend Christmas with her daughter and son-in-law and four grandchildren.

The daughter is married to the distinguished Swedish psychiatrist, Dr. Sten Martens of Stockholm.

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SHOWN ABOVE are members of the Modern Dance Group, who appeared in the Christmas play Tuesday night. Pictured at the left: Pat Siefker, doll; Judy Colvin, Little Match Girl. Center: Dodie Reilly and Linda Axelson, two elves; Jeanette Smith, little girl of the first vision. Right: Pam Phillips, angel; Judy Colvin, Little Match Girl. The "Little Match Girl" was an Acalanes production with a cast of over three hundred students, in the Band, Modern Dance Group, ACapella, and Girl's Glee Club. The Christmas presentation was for the benefit of the community and carried no admission charge.

Library Donors Will Be Listed in Special Book

The Orinda Library Board has announced the following in connection with the Orinda Public Library which it intends to build, according to Perc S. Brown, board president:

A "Book of Remembrance" will be created and maintained in the library, wherein will be registered the names of all Orindans and others who have made a contribution in the form of money or materials.

In the particular case of those who have signed pledges but failed to make payments, their names would not be registered unless and until those obligations have been honored.

MAJOR contributors, whether individuals or organizations, who have contributed in cash $1000 or more or who have contributed materials of the value of $1000 or more, will have their names engraved on a permanent sponsors' plaque to be installed in the library.

An exception would be made, however, in the event that any sponsor requested his or her name to remain anonymous.

"The Orinda Library Building Fund, an arm of Orinda Library Board, has the feeling there are numerous individuals in Orinda who could and probably would like to contribute their share to this project," Brown said. "Now is the time for them to come forth.

"BETWEEN NOW and the end of January, $2,000 more is needed. The final plans will be frozen by the end of January.

"A library will be built, but unless plans and specifications for THE library that should be built will have to be materially reduced. This can be done but it is not desirable or advisable.

"The whole project has been carefully studied from every possible angle and the present plans should prevail, funds permitting."

William M. Powell Wins Glorietta Lights Contest

First prize winner in the Outdoor Christmas Lighting Contest sponsored by the Glorietta Improvement Association is William M. Powell, 48 Rheem Boulevard, Orinda.

Powell wins a $25 United States Savings Bond, donated by the association.

In the judging last Friday night by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ward of Lafayette, co-presidents of the Valley Art Center, and Dick Osborn of Orinda, associate editor of The Sun newspapers, the following winners were also chosen (all addresses are in the area served by the Glorietta Improvement Association):

Second place ,$10 merchandise order at a local-area nursery)—Jim Hill, 2 Idyll Court.

Third place ($10 merchandise order at another local-area nursery)—Harry A. Parks, 80 Rheem Boulevard.

HONORABLE MENTION (all win merchandise orders or merchandise) — Victor Graber, 25 Rheem Boulevard; Dr. Hyzer Jones, 45 Moraga Via; L. C. Evans, 275 Orchard Road; John H. Harder Jr., 119 Glorietta Boulevard; C. C. Rea, 67 Orchard Road; E. W. Hicks, 50 Valley Drive.

In addition, the judges voted a special honorable mention to a group of homes on Orchard Road south of Glorietta Boulevard. This recognition was to these houses as a group.

The judges were accompanied by Phillip D. Mittell, association president, and Arthur M. Flint, vice-president and chairman of the contest committee.

FLINT DESCRIBED the contest as a "real success."

"Approximately one out of every four homes in the Glorietta area participated," he said.

Merchants donating prizes included Orchard Nursery, Moraga Valley Nursery, Orinda Pharmacy, Bill's Char-Broiler, Clark's Market, Center Hardware, Design Center, Patio Music Shop, Moraga Casuals, Dick McIntyre's Union Oil Station, Evandi's, Floyd Mooney Barber Shop, Bill's House of Beauty, Edward's Cleaners, Orinda Willows, Sprouse-Reitz and T and D Liquors.

Farmer to Open Store

H. Richard Farmer will open his new store, "Sports Unlimited" on Wednesday at 17 Orinda Way, he announced this week.

A former member of a national champion football team and '36 graduate of the University of Minnesota, Farmer will stock all athletic and sporting goods equipment, and will feature ski rentals during the winter season.

The younger Farmers will also help their dad. David, 12, and Dixon, 16, will be his staff and campus representatives at Pine Grove and Miramonte High.

The Farmers, including wife Marianne, and daughter, Ann, 5, live at 157 El Toyonal, Orinda. x

He is a member of the National Sporting Goods Association, and the Orinda Association.

Norma Waddell Named Chapter Treasurer

Miss Norma Waddell of Orinda has been appointed treasurer of the newly organized chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America at Stephen College in Columbia, Mo.

The purpose of the national organization for students in business education is to develop strong leadership qualities among students interested in business so they may participate more effectively in business and community life.

A junior at Stephens (first year student), Norma is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman A. Waddell of 8 Lombardy Lane. She is home for the Christmas holidays.

Marine Corps Course

Marine Pvt. Allan W. Schrader, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Schrader of 92 Orchard Road Orinda, completed four weeks of individual combat training November 29 at the Marine Corps Base, Pendleton, Calif.

The course included the latest infantry tactics, first aid, demolitions, field fortifications and advanced schooling on weapons.

Letters to The Editor

THANKS

Dear Editor:

I wish to express my thanks to the Junior Chamber of Commerce for sponsoring the "Know Your Candidates" night December 12.

I would also like to thank the interested citizens of Orinda who appeared at the meeting. Unfortunately it was a case of "too many chiefs and not enough Indians."

As one candidate said: "If this is an example of the interest of the peopleo f Orinda, I am sorry I allowed my name put up for nomination."

This disinterest and apathy is something of which we are all guilty. Apparently many people in Orinda were opposed to incorporation at this time.

As a result we have our Orinda Association as our main "governing body," so to speak.

There were many intelligent and interesting views on local problems expressed at the meeting but they fell on too few listening ears.

You are going to have five of these candidates as directors of the Orinda Association for the next two years and one of them for the next year. Most don't even care enough to hear what their aims, viewpoints, and possible avenues of solution are of YOUR community problems.

True, it was a cold and foggy night, but if you are going to have these people drive your sleigh you might at least find out where they are going or let them know if you want to go.

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Miramonte Mirror

By BABETTE AMBLER

Rudolph's brightly flickering red light bulb nose was main feature for the Miramonte's stage at their "Santa's Soph Hop" recently. Surrounding him were many sprayed white trees. Carrying the theme of Christmas through to the walls, there were silhouettes of Christmas bells, candy canes, and stockings.

For entertainment, the 100 attending students "lifted the roof" with gay Christmas carols.

In keeping with Christmas, Miramonte's classrooms were gaily decorated by the Girls' League members. Gold and silver pine cones, arranged with brightly colored balls formed a ten inch wreath.

Planned also by the Girls' League was a sign bearing "Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays" for the "Quad" Bulletin Board.

Scout Salute...

Troop 261

Girl Scout Troop 261 held a combined Christmas and farewell party December 11 at Mrs. P. H. Deming's home on Hall Drive, Orinda, in honor of Sheldon Lawrence, who will attend school in Geneva, Switzerland, for the next six months.

Mothers of troop members were the guests for the afternoon.

"Hansel and Gretel" from Humperdinck's opera was presented with Sharon Gates as Gretel and Nancy Peacock, Francesca McIntyre and Sandie Carlile as the angels who watched over Gretel. Hansel was to have been portrayed by Kathy Stillson, who was ill.

As the second part of the program, "The Night Before Christmas" was presented, with Judy Kronke as Santa, Leslie Deming as the father, Marcia Montgomery as Mama, Jackie and Kathy Montgomery as children and Sheldon Lawrence, Gail Kidd and Judy Darby as sugar plum fairies.

Following the program, refreshments were enjoyed and the girls presented Sheldon with an autograph book as a going-away gift.

Troop 155

A Christmas party and program was held for the mothers and fathers of members of Orinda Girl Scout Troop 155 December 19 at the home of Mrs. R. L. Burns on Ivy Drive, Orinda.

"The Littlest Angel" was presented as part of the program, and cookies were made and served by the girls as part of the refreshments. By presenting the play and planning and serving the refreshments, the girls covered two activities for the Second Class badge—Literature and Dramatics, and Homemaking.

The members of the troop attended a TV studio and saw the Captain Fortune Show broadcast over Station KPIX, December 14.

Troop leader is Mrs. R. Burns, and her assistants are Mrs. E. Parson and Mrs. K. Schaefer.

Girls in the troop are Diane Beconcini, Judy Edwards, Sybil Lee Ellgas, Kathy Lanzarotti, Marjory Parsons, Toni Riddle, Calene Schaefer and Beverly Stillson

Most cars built today are equipped with 12-volt batteries and they require more attention in keeping them clean than the 6-volt type used formerly.

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Planners Approve High School Site

Proposed site for a new high school of the Acalanes High School District was approved December 17 by the Contra Costa County Planning Commission in Martinez.

The site is in the Rheem Valley area and located on the west side of Jonas Hill Road 1300 feet north of Rheem Boulevard. The site has a 1650 foot frontage.

The planning commission passed the site on the condition that a 65 foot strip of land on the site would be reserved for a roadway on the property.

The property is just across from the Rutherford Park subdivision and totals approximately 43 acres.

Pack 225

Orinda Cub Pack 225 will stage a Christmas tree burning January 4.

This community service project is for the Moraga Meadows and Glorietta districts and will be on the property of Dr. Miles Hudson, adjacent to the Glorietta School.

If you drive an automobile remember this—the key to preventing traffic accidents is you yourself. Being courteous and cooperating with other motorists are the most important parts of driving safely.

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SECOND SECTION

ORINDA SUN

Friday, December 27, 1957

Complete Investigation Of Authority Demanded

Ronald Howard, recent executive director of the Contra Costa Housing Authority, has been indicted by a federal grand jury on a count of converting government property for personal use.

Howard has resigned from his position "to avoid embarrassment for the authority."

HOWEVER, the authority has been embarrassed by charges made against Howard and against itself before this. The charges against Howard have been pressed by the 1956-57 Contra Costa County Grand Jury and the Federal Grand Jury but, what of the charges that were made concerning irregularities in the operations of the commissioner of the Housing Authority?

The Sun strongly urges that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County and the Contra Costa Grand Jury investigate the operations of the Housing Authority and of the commissioners.

The charges have been made. If they are untrue, they should be dismissed, but not before a thorough investigation of the charges against Gerould Gill, chairman; George Weiss, commissioner and other persons in the employ of the authority.

THE SHADOW of suspicion has been cast on the authority, it is incumbent on the authority to either clear itself of these shadows or for the Federal, State and County Governments to prove that the authority and its commissioners have been involved in practices which have been detrimental to the welfare of the public.

The Sun has long urged a thorough investigation of the Housing Authority and it's now time to pursue this investigation and bring the true facts of the case before the taxpayers.

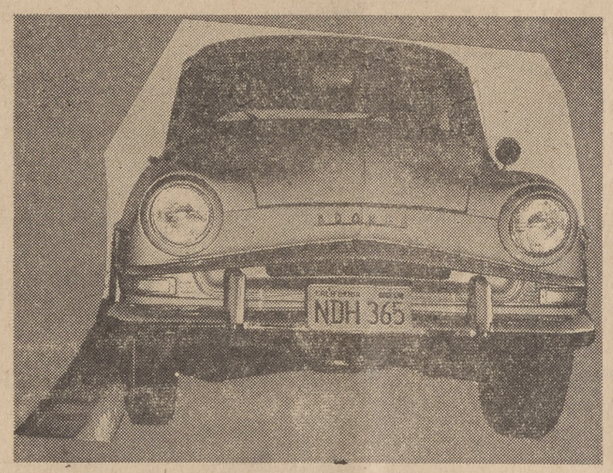
Again, the accusations have been made and we are entitled to a complete investigation.

The Board of Supervisors should spearhead the investigation and seek indictments from the Grand Jury if necessary. If the investigation cannot be handled on the county level, the aid of State and Federal agencies should be sought.

ONE CRIMINAL charge has been made, and it was based on the accusations of an ousted maintenance supervisor of the Housing Authority. What of the other charges made by Fred Anthon and other employees of the authority?

Have they all been investigated? Will they ever be investigated? Do the supervisors, district attorney and investigative officers know it is their responsibility and duty to the public that the true facts be brought to light and the public be informed?

The Sun urges, as does the public, that an investigation be made and a complete report be submitted on each charge and allegation at the earliest posisble date.



IT'S ILLEGAL now in Contra Costa County to park a car on a three per cent or greater grade and not curb the wheels. This car will be tagged for illegal parking. The action was taken by the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors to prevent runaways. —Sun photo by Jim Guthrie

Letters to The Editor

THANK YOU
DEAR EDITOR

On behalf of the Walnut Creek Recreation Commission, our staff and the City of Walnut Creek, I wish to thank you for the splendid coverage which we receive on all the news given in The Sun.

Your staff has been very cooperative and has printed recreation news accurately and on time.

As we look back lo these eight years through our publicity books we are grateful to you for the story it unfolds.

Wishing you and your staff a very Merry Christmas and a happy and successful New Year.

Mrs. Ruth Wallis

Doyle Tells Method, Values Of Lobbying

By Donald Doyle
Assemblyman, 10th District

California's 5,700,000 registered voters may not fully appreciate the fact, but they are doubly represented in Sacramento, once by their duly elected Legislature, and again by the more than 450 legally registered "legislative advocates" who are paid to act for various special interests.

Some voters complain that such advocates frequently oppose legislation for the welfare of the average citizen, but those who do overlook the obvious fact that practically every voter is affiliated with at least one organization which does represent his special interests in some matter, and which maintains paid advocates at the Capital.

Since 1949, our State has had a law which requires all lobbyists to register with both houses of the Legislature, name those for whom they work, and make detailed monthly reports of receipts and expenditures. The law is modeled on a similar federal act.

It has been several times amended, and the last proposed changes have been referred to the Assembly Interim Committee on Legislative Representation for investigation. The group has just started public hearings on the proposals.

Enforcement of this law to regulate the influencing of legislation is left to the two houses of the Legislature, and both have established standing committees to grant certificates of registration after investigation of applicants, to suspend or revoke registrations for good cause, and to report violations to prosecuting authorities.

Fine or months of imprisonment may be imposed for willful violations of the reporting provisions. Conviction by a court carries with it a three year prohibition against any further lobbying activity. No actions have yet been brought under the law.

An important feature of the law is the "Code of Ethics" for legislative advocates which is specificaly written into it. Failure to carry out any of the 10 requirements imposed by it is cause for suspension or revocation of registration. Among other things, an advocate must not (1) place legislators under personnal obligation; (2) deceive legislators as to material facts on legislation; (3) create a false impression of public opinion on legislation by use of names without permission or fictitious names; and (4) represent that he can control votes or action on legislation.

Legislation affecting the lives, health and welfare of more than 14 million people cannot be properly or equitably enacted unless legislators responsible for the work have full access to all facts involved. Our current economy is so complex that nobody of lawmakers can learn all the facts necessary for adequate appraisal of proposed law without the help of the groups or interests most affected.

That is why more than 400 different groups, organizations, and governmental units in California have found it advisable to employ experts in the legislative process to dig out pertinents facts concering their problems, and make those facts available for use of your legislators.

From airport operators to yacht brokers, from teachers to taxpayers, from labor to management, all kinds of elements in our society now openly retain legislative advocates to make sure their needs and problems receive their share of attention in the lawmaking process.

Much more investigation and work remains to be done in this field which so closely touches our basic American process of government. Your California legislature is dedicated to preservation of the full right for all to be heard, but also to preventing abuse of that right.

Under The Sun

Charges Against County Agency Break Wide Open

By HERMAN SILVERMAN

I hate people who say, "I told you so . . ."

But here goes: The Sun told you so!

Last April 19 The Sun first reported charges of irregularities against officials of the Contra Costa Housing Authority. In the weeks and months that followed, Sun staffer Bob Rapida kept on the story. The Sun was the only paper to publish the charges.

The major charge was that Ron Howard, executive director of the Housing Authority, had taken a two-wheel motor scooter and several thousand feet of galvanized pipe belonging to the United States Public Housing Administration. This was when he was with the Public Housing Authority. The specific accusation was made by Fred Anthon, Housing Authority maintenance superintendent, who was ousted from his job. Anthon said he was fired because he answered questions about irregularities to federal investigators.

Call the meeting to order

Several weeks after The Sun printed the story, the Housing Authority commissioners met to consider this charge. James Woods moved that Howard be suspended in the light of the allegations against him. Ed Nichols seconded. Both voted to suspend Howard.

George Weise and W. H. Carpenter voted no. Chairman Gerould Gill cast the deciding vote—no.

In two editorials, The Sun asked for an investigation by county officials and the County Grand Jury. The Jury started to investigate but was stymied because a federal agent said he could not reveal his information to them. The district attorney could have given the jury an investigator but didn't.

Last week the case started to break open. A Federal Grand Jury in San Francisco indicted Howard for allegedly taking the government's pipe. Howard then resigned as Housing Authority Director. If found guilty at his trial, he faces a maximum of 10 years imprisonment and/or $10,000 fine.

Other charges on the agenda

The Sun's stories, based on statements made by Anthon, and others, were not solely concerned with Howard's alleged misappropriations. Other actions of the County Housing Authority were questioned:

1. George Weise, a Housing Authority commissioner, traded in his car to a Walnut Creek auto firm and that very day Weise's car was sold to the Housing Authority.

Weise answered, "It's not anybody's business what I do with my car. What happened was that I traded my car in on a new model . . . I knew that the Authority was looking for a car of that model and size and the car was in excellent condition. In fact, in the two years that the Authority has had the car, only minor repair work has been performed. I informed the Authority that my car was available."

He said that bids were requested from auto dealers and the firm that bought Weise's car won the bid. He did not explain how the trade in and purchase by the Authority took place within the same day. The Sun asked if the bids were on file and was told "no."

Come to the party

2. Gerould Gill, Authority chairman, has been charged with using his official position for personal gain. There is a law which prohibits a governmental agency from doing business with a firm owned by one of its officials.

Anthon alleges that Gill's Marsh Creek Lodge was the location of a Housing Authority employees' party. The Authority paid for the party by a check (over $500) made out to The Gress Catering Company. This company is supposedly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gress of Concord. They reportedly work or have worked for Gill. The check was allegedly endorsed by a member of the Gill family.

Gill has answered these charges by stating the party cost him $100 out of his own pocket and the employees got more than their money's worth.

He has not confirmed or denied any of the details of this charge

Come take a trip

3. A large question mark has been placed over the travel alowances, destinations and purposes of trips made by Authority officials.

I do not know the details but I do know there have been many trips made by Authority personnel. For example, there was a meeting of the National Association of Redevelopment and Housing officials in the east, from August 30 to September 7.

This must have been a very, very important meeting. The Contra Costa Housing Authority did not only send (1) its key man (executive director Howard) but also (2) its attorney (A. F. Bray Jr.) and (3 and 4) two commissioners (Gill and newly-appointed Al Aljets). I understand at least one of the other commissioners refused to go because he considered it a waste of funds.

It must be apparent to anyone that there was no excuse for four men to spend so much money on such a trip.

Many other charges are floating around. We have not been able to get the details. I think, however, they will be brought into the open.

Let's get to work

A thorough investigation is absolutely necessary. This should be started immediately by the County District Attorney, County Board of Supervisors, County Grand Jury and continued by the Federal Grand Jury.

For years, The Sun has pointed its finger at our county government—its inefficiency—its dishonesty—its antiquated machinery. We have been criticized, boycotted, threatened. Here, however, is another example of what we have been writing about.

Not all offices are bad. Some are okay; some are excellent. Some, however, are terrible. The Recorder's office fell in the later category. The District Attorney's office is perhaps the worst of all. The Housing Authority is obviously another one.

A new year is coming. It is time for a clean up, don't you think?

And a happy new year to each of you.

Sun Strokes

Youse Kids Just Have da Wrong Attitude on School

By PAT PENDING

One of my sleuths has come up with a real tidbit that may explain why the ever-loving Russians are outstripping us in education.

It seems that there has been a certain gentleman favoring local high schools with a speech of sorts. In one class—Orientation—he oriented so loudly that a microphone was unnecessary. One of the illuminating statements made by this VIP was:

"YOUSE KIDS have got de wrong attitude about school. If you guys are gonna waste your time in school, you might as well be in prison!"

Unquote.

Then this legal counsel proceeded to give the kids a lecture on "correct" English!

Apparently, his talk was most constructive!

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I can't figure out how a GIRL could have aspirations to be a vibra-screed or a bull float in connection with laborers' work—can you?

Are YOU rearing your daughter to be a lagger; a hand guided lagging hammerer; a trenchjacker; or a rip rap? Even at $2.755 per hour plus health and welfare at ten cents an hour?

Are the Jokers always wild in this county?

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MRS. ARTHUR KING has asked the $64,000 question and she deserves an answer! What is meant by "Integrity of Zoning?"

I hunted and hunted; groped my way through the seams of the County Seat trying to find "integrity." I resorted to the dictionary.

Webster says that "integrity" is "uprightness," "soundness of character," and "moral wholesomeness."

And the word "zone" is defined as a "girdle" or "belt."

Conclusion, Mrs. King.

Any character who can manage to stand upright in a girdle; has a hole in his head and can take a belt now and then is prime material for the Contra Costa Plannnig Commission.

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I'd like to offer a solution to head-on crashes on the Bay Bridge.

I SHOULD LIKE to see a law enacted requiring that all San Francisco commuters to Oakland drive cars similar to the lumber carriers you've seen (you known, the ones with the cab on top).

Oakland commuters to San Francisco could then still drive conventional cars. In the event of a potential head on collision, the Oaklander would merely pass beaneath the San Franciscan!

Another way to avoid the head-on: Have all cars back down the highway.

The Staff Corner

And I Firmly Resolve . . . . .

By DICK OSBORN

They say there's no fool like an old fool, and I'm beginning to feel a little more foolish each year.

Of course, I'm getting a little older each year . . . and this year I've decided I'm old enough to forget making New Year's resolutions.

I bet you can't figure out why I'm not making any resolutions this year!

I bet you think I just don't have any will power, and never kept the ones I made, so I'm taking the coward's way out!

Well I bet this has happened to YOU, too, so there!

No sir, I'm not making any resolutions this year for the simple reason that I couldn't possibly resolve to do enough things right to make me act like a normal human being.

INSTEAD OF ADOPTING resolutions, with a big seal at the bottom of the page, and a notary public, and publicity, and things like that, I'm just going to make a few gentle suggestions to myself—maybe let the old subconscious give it a turn or two.

For instance, I'm going to stop sneering at my friends in Orinda, and slyly making remarks in their hearing about embezzlers, and dope fiends, and things like that.

And I'm not going to mention Happy Valley rezoning within earshot of a single person from Lafayette—at least, not very loudly.

City managers will be taboo with my intimate circle in Walnut Creek, and I promise never to mention annexation or industry in Pleasant Hill.

Of course, I won't have anything to talk about for a whole year, but maybe I can get a little thinking done that way. (My wife thinks this is an excellent idea, but only because it would give her a chance, and I'll admit I'm a coward, I'm afraid of that.)

BUT I'VE CONSIDERED the possibility of introducing Orinda's problems to Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Hill's to Lafayette, Walnut Creek's to Orinda, and Lafayette's to Walnut Creek.

By that time, every one of my friends in all communities will be so confused they won't know whether to vote for or against incorporated rezoning.

THEN MAYBE WE can all sit down and see what is really happening — get out of our rut and start looking at the problems with fresh answers in mind instead of the old, feverish approach.

But as I said, I'm not making any resolutions this year. And I won't have a thing to talk about.

So when you go to that New Year's party, and you see a quiet, shy, studious young man sitting in the corner, brow wrinkled in thought, come on over and say hello.

At least I'll wish you a Happy New Year.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Who-o-o-o! Diablo Valley Lines Run on Schedule

Model railroads in action will be open to the public in Walnut Creek at the local model railroad club on Railroad Avenue near the Southern Pacific depot for the entire week end of January 10, 11 and 12.

Starting at 7:30 Friday, the show will be open until 10 p.m. and Sunday from 2 to 8 p.m.

The scenic layout of the Diablo Valley Lines, an HO gauge model Railroad, will be of special advantage to the young men and their fathers who received model trains for Christmas. They will find numerous ideas for building up their own railroad empires.

THE LARGE LAYOUT of the Walnut Creek Club, now five years old, has been considerably rebuilt in the last year and contains many improvements. J. L. Melady, president of the club, and Dave Westcott, superintendent, are proud of the many improvements made since the last public show, notably in the extension of the yards, changes in the interurban line, and improvements to the scenery.

Located across the creek, behind the Broadway Shopping Center, the Walnut Creek Model Railroad Society clubhouse is reached by turning off Main Street in Walnut Creek at Las Palmas Hotel, onto Walker Avenue; then making a right hand turn at Railroad Avenue just before reaching the track crossing on Walker Avenue.

The Southern Pacific depot can be seen a short distance away and the clubhouse is just beyond the depot. The clubhouse and layout were built by the members, all local men and high school boys from the vicinity. Membership is open to anyone.

Minimum age limit is 14 years. Business communications are handled through the club secretary, John E. McKirahan, 1017 Willow Drive, Lafayette.

The Walnut Creek Club is affiliated with the National Model Railroad Association and its 20,000 members, also the regional organizations, Pacific Coast Region, and Coast Division. The association standards make it possible to operate cars and engines on any trackage. The information exchanges help all members in their pursuit of the hobby.

DIABLO VALLEY LINES consists of two main line tracks making a double loop on a table 20 feet wide and 40 feet long. A third track parallels the main line around the big loop. Turnout switches are arranged so trains can switch back and forth from one track to the other. Two large terminal yards serve for storage of cars and engines. The interurban line starts at one corner of the layout and winds high into the mountains in the center of the table.Here switch connections permit transfer of cars to the branch line which loops through the mountains and descends on the far side. Both the interurban and the branch lines were built and are operated by the junior members of the club.

From mountains and desert the scenery blends into a farm country. Beyond that is a redwood forest where a small sawmill can be seen. This background enhances the activity of the little trains as they make their way through the various types of countryside.

Operating controls for the two yards, the interurban line, and the banch line, are located at different parts of the table. Controls for the main line are in a balcony overlooking the layout so each of the four operators can keep his eye on his train during the entire time it is circling the double loop.

Members will be at hand at all times to answer questions and explain anything that is asked about model railroading. They are happy to have the general public come in and inspect the result of their latest efforts to make a bigger and better model railroad.

Dramateurs to Present 'Anniversary Waltz'

The Dramateurs will start the New Year right with rehearsals for their forthcoming production of the comedy hit "Anniversary Waltz" by Jerome Chodorov and Joseph Fields.

The play will open on Friday night, February 21 at Berkeley Little Theater, and will run the 22nd, 28th, and March 1st .

Carl Rasmussen will direct this comedy. Many of the names in the cast will be familiar to Dramateur fans, and there are also several new additions to the group. They are:

Katie Genesy, Grace Duffy, John Antone, Betty Reynolds, Cal Knickerbocker, Charlotte Chapple and Phillip Stearns.

One of the juvenille leads will be played by Hester Harris — a 13 year old student at the Pine Grove School in Orinda. She was cast in several past Dramateaur productions such as "Summer and Smoke," "The Remarkable Mr. Pennypacker," and "Teahouse of the August Moon."

Steve Flint who played a juvenille lead in "The Remarkable Mr. Pennypacker" will play the teenage brother.

This hilarious comedy deals with the domestic complications which arise on the 15th wedding anniversary of a very modern thinking couple. The play ends on a warm and tender note, with everyone having a better understanding of each other.

Tish Winkworth will be production manager, and Jewel Scheeline will supervise the costuming. Oreallia Salonen and Corrinne Neumann will have charge of properties.

Any groups interested in sponsoring a performance can receive further information by calling Mrs. John Tokich at CL 4-3483. Blocks of seats are available for all performances at discount rates.

Mental Health, Church Groups to Hold Conference

A joint committee of the Central Contra Costa Mental Health Association and the Central Contra Costa Council of Churches to plan a special public forum on "The individual's emotional needs, the roles of psychiatry and religion," has announced that final plans have been made for the forum January 7 at 8 p.m. at Acalanes High School Gymnasium, Lafayette.

MRS. ROBERT F. Brooks, Chairman of the joint committe, announced that the following have accepted the committee's invitations to participate in the program:

On the role of religion, or man's adjustment to God, the speaker will be Rev. Ernest L. Hastings, Pastor, Melrose Baptist Church, Oakland.

On the role of psychiatry, or man's adjustment to society, the speaker will be A. D. Schwartz, M.D., a psychiatrist and Chief of the Mental Health Service of the California State Department of Public Health, Berkeley.

THE MODERATOR will be Mr. B. O. Wilson, Contra Costa County Superintendent of Schools.

The evening's addresses will be followed by a question period.

Those serving on the Joint Committee in addition to Mrs. Brooks, are:

Mesdames Robert Dorn, Roland Smith, James H. Lawson, and Rev. Irvine Askine — for the Council of Churches;

Dr. Harold W. Kaar, Mesdames Thomas S. Hodgson, Hans Wendel, and Catherine K. Long — for the Mental Health Association.

The Mental Health Association is a United Crusade Agency whose purpose is to combat mental illness and promote mental health. Persons interested in information about the association may phone YE 5-1015 or write P.O. Box 89, Walnut Creek.

Osmundsen Honored by Contractors Association

John Osmundsen, President of the General Contractors Association of Contra Costa Costa County was honored December 19 at the annual Christmas banquet of the Association at the El Nido Restaurant Lafayette.

IMMEDIATE PAST President Harold Parker, Lafayette, presented a copper wall plaque to Osmundsen on behalf of the Association in recognition and appreciation for the time and effort he contributed to the Association's activities during his term in office.

Parker stated in his presentation that never before have the Association's affairs been so well discharged due to the coordinated effort of the various working committees organized by Osmundsen.

Osmundsen announced that as a result of the annual election the following members will serve on the Board of Directors for the 1958-59 term: Johnson, Clark, Lafayette; George Concannon, Concord; W. L. "Bud" Netherby, Walnut Creek; John Osmundsen, Walnut Creek and James Sutherland, Walnut Creek.

SERVING ON THE Board with the above directors will be Angelo Davi, Pittsburg; Jack Eyman, Lafayette; Robert B. Johnson, Richmond and Jack Marchant, Lafayette.

At the Dinner meeting, which was attended by 200 members and their wives, Pins were awarded to Garry Grover, Lafayette, George Concannon, Concord; Angelo Davi, Pittsburg, Allan Fuller, Lafayette; Kermit Lincoln, Walnut Creek, and Osmundsen, in recognition of their efforts during the recent membership campaign, Frederick C. Kracke, Executive Vice President of the Contractors Association, announced.

Meyers' Host Yuletide Party

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Myers of 714 Los Palos Drive, Lafayette, entertained 44 neighbors and friends at a Christmas cocktail party last Sunday at the Myers home.

Tomorrow the Myers daughter, Patricia, will hold open house for her friends, from 6 to 8 p.m., so that they can meet her fiance, Alan Hendren of Bethany, Mo. Alan, a student at the University of Missouri, is here for a visit during the holiday period.

Christmas Seal Campaign Gain

Many people have asked about the coin containers in the stores and business places of Contra Costa County, according to George W. Wacker, Christmas Seal Chairman for the Contra Costa Tuberculosis and Health Association.

These white plastic boxes bearing the red double barred cross of the TB association are a method of making it easier for some people to help in the fight against tuberculosis. They also serve as a reminder for others to mail their checks today for the Christmas Seals they received at home.

The poster with them says "Fight TB — Give a gift of Health." Small change — as well as larger contributions — placed in the containers provide additional funds for the program of the TB association.

These containers were placed in Lafayette by the Lafayette Women's Club with Mrs. Dwight Birch serving as chairman of this project. The First Baptist Church Women of Orinda with Mrs. Robert Ness as chairman distributed the coin containers in Orinda.

Mrs. Marion DeWeerd was in charge of the committee from the Crest View Junior Women's Club that placed the containers in the Pleasant Hill area. In Walnut Creek the coin containers were placed by the Pleasant Hill Women's Club with Mrs. William Totherow as chairman.

Wacker said that as of the end of the fifth week of the 1957 Christmas Seal Sale, the returns have reached over $42,000, which is ahead of last year's returns for the same date.

Naturalization

Three Central Contra Costa residents were bestowed citizenship papers December 18 by Judge Wakefield Taylor in Superior Court, Martinez.

They are Angelo Corso, 3613 Chestnut Street, Lafayette; Evy Feilsoe Elmer, 374 Boyd Road, Pleasant Hill and Ena Saylor, 41 Newel Court, Walnut Creek.

Daniel H. Lyons, examiner for the United States Department of Immigration, moved for the naturalization of the three.

SUZANNE DeHAAN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. DeHaan of 877 Mt. View Drive, Lafayette, will be installed January 4 as honored queen of Bethel 218, Job's Daughters.

Job's Daughter New Queen Is Suzanne DeHaan

Miss Suzanne DeHaan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. DeHaan, 877 Mt. View Drive, Lafayette, will be installed as honored queen of Bethel 218, Lafayette Job's Daughters, on January 4. She will succeed Miss Nancy Peterson as queen.

Others to be installed are:

Misses Smidge Wilkinson, senior princess; Jane Harmon, junior princess; Gayle Erickson, guide; Roberta Hawk, marshal; Linda Shafter, chaplain; Kathy Meima, inner guard; Roxanne Shine, outer guard; Marilyn Cook, treasurer; Netti Persson, senior custodian; Gloria Raven, junior custodian; Kathy Cortese, recorder; Carol Curtis, librarian; Pat Simmons, musician, and Judy McKenzie, Kae Hellin, Marilyn Edwards, Marilyn Barante and Judy Bradley, messengers.

Patricia White, Richard Carver To Wed in July

Stanley B. Whites of Moraga Highway, Orinda, and Richard L. Carver, son of the Vernon L. Carvers of Menlo Place, Berkeley, plans to be married next July.

Patricia White, daughter of the Carvers of Menlo Place, Berkeley, plans to be married next July.

Patricia, a senior at the University of California, recently announced her betrothal by passing the traditional candy to her Alpha Delta Pi sorority sisters in Berkeley.

Johnson Heads Coastal Area for Employment

Marc Johnson of Lafayette has been appointed coastal area manager of the California Department of Employment with headquarters in San Francisco.

The area embraces 30 employment service and unemployment insurance local offices serving 15 counties.

He replaced Charles F. B. Roeth, who retired recently. The appointment was announced by H. M. Steward, Director of Employment.

Johnson lives with his wife and two daughters on Oliver Court.

AAUW to Hold Yule Holiday Party Sunday

From 4 to 6 p.m. Sunday at the Ken Ruppenthal home at 22 Ivy Drive, Orinda, the Orinda Branch of the American Association of University Women will hold a Christmas holiday party for members, their husbands and house guests.

In charge of the arrangements is the membership committee, headed by Mrs. J. C. Roberts. On the membership committee with Mrs. Roberts are Mrs. F. F. Rust and Mrs. C. F. Cooper

Among those aiding the membership committee are Mesdames G P. Frazer, D. M. Goble, Robert Hill, J. P. Hubner, E. H. Lawyer, F A. Haughton, G. B. Montgomery and H. C. Ward.

In addition, Mrs. J. L. Chapple and Mrs. J. L. Gilmore are responsible for the party decorations. The handsome invitations were silk-screened by members of the applied arts section.

Burger Home for Christmas Holidays

Dennis Burger, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Burger, was home this weekend from Bellarmine College Preparatory.

Dennis, a freshman, is home for the Christmas holidays. Bellarmine is a high school for boys taught by the Jesuit Order. Bellarmine is the oldest Jesuit high school in California.

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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN, Orinda Branch, will give a Christmas holiday party from 4 to 6 p.m. Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Ruppenthal, 22 Ivy Drive, Orinda, for members, their husbands and house guests. Decorating the yule tree for the event are, left to right, Mesdames Bruce Montgomery, Clinton Cooper, James C. Roberts, chairman of the membership committee; Fred Haughton and Fred Rust. —Sun photo by Mattson

Sun Society

Susan Adair Is Bride Of John M. Havlina Jr.

Susan Elizabeth Adair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Scott Adair of 956 Hawthorne Drive, Lafayette, became the bride of John Mathew Havlina Jr. at a 7:30 p.m. ceremony last Friday at the bride's home. The Rev. Henry Page White of the Lafayette Community Methodist Church officiated.

The bridegroom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Havlina of Tacoma, Wash.

Both Susan and John are undergraduate students at the University of California in Berkeley—Susan is a junior and John is a senior. They will make their home in Berkeley, where they will continue their studies at Cal.

THE CANDLELIGHT wedding ceremony took place before the white and gold magnolia banked mantel.

Decorations on the reception table had a Christmas motif.

The bride wore a white Italian silk gown with fingertip veil. She carried a white nosegay with green holly sprigs.

MAID OF HONOR was Miss Bitsy Burns of Milwaukee, Wis., formerly of Lafayette. Best man was James Clark of Manhattan Beach, Calif.

Miss Burns wore a green velveteen waltz length gown with satin cummerbund and matching headband and slippers. Her flowers were the same as the bride's, except that they were smaller.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

SUSAN'S MOTHER wore a gown which had a silk sheath of red leaves on a dark background. The bride's sisters, Bonnie and Sally Adair, helped serve at the reception. Bonnie's dress had a red sheath; Sally's, a green sheath.

At the university Susan is an Alpha Phi, and John is affiliated with Alpha Tau Omega.

The newlyweds went to Washington State for their honeymoon.

ALPHA XI DELTA Diablo Valley Alumnae recently enjoyed a Christmas party for members and husbands at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon B. Hughes of Walnut Creek. Shown at the affair are, left to right, Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Carter Miles and Glenn Vivrette.

On The Lighter Side

by INA BLIESNER
YE 4-3818

When it comes to party giving—Edith and Bill Scatena are THE masters of that art. Their entertaining really IS an art. The Scatena's annual Christmas dancing party is always looked forward to with such enthusiasm by their many friends. How it could have been any better this year I don't know, but somehow it was.

The house just glowed, inside and out, with the most beautiful decorations and we were met at the door by the jolliest of Santa Clauses—who turned out to be none other than "Ho-Ho-Ho Joe Downs."

Just an extra Santa Claus duty

Before doffing his costume in favor of more comfortable clothing—Joe cleared the loggia, where we danced, and executed a delightful waltz with Edith who looked ravishing in an original frock; a kind of greenish-blue chiffon caught at the waist with a huge self rose.

Music was provided by a South American orchestra—which was most adept at all types of music. The musicians added to the colorful decor in their brilliant satin shirts and cumerbunds. At midnight a scrumptious, of course, buffet supper was served.

Especially beautiful, I thought was the outdoor terrace which was lighted with "floods" and looked like an enchanted garden with its fountain, ferns and red camellias. Traditionally, Christmas carols are sung after midnight and this year the guests were led by lovely Stell (Mrs. Robert) Boyle.

DODIE AND JOHN RICHARDSON were there—Dodie looking regal in a black velvet dinner suit with a white ermine tuxedo collar. Betty (Mrs. Pierce Lathrop) was a vision in a slate blue slipper satin bouffant gown.

The Ray Godwins (One of THE most vivacious women I've ever met is Lydia Godwin who is Bill Scatena's sister. She was wearing a breath-taking dress—the bodice solid with black sequins and the voluminous skirt—egg shell satin) were up from their home, Beverly Hills.

One of the most unusual outfits was worn by Mrs. Jerome Holt of Beverly Hills. She was truly a knockout in Christmas red velvet, the neckline, sleeves and hem edged with white fur. She carried a fur muff which was centered with holly.

Mrs. Cleve Putman, a guest from Bel Air wore a stunning and svelte black silk draped model which was printed with huge pink roses. Most welcome back from their stay in the south were Maralyn and Bob Hampton—who were looking just wonderful after a series of illnesses. We are ALL wishing for them a MUCH better year in 1958.

Unusual news, and an unusual party

Here is an unusual bit of news. Marie (Mrs. Odie) Monohan, a well known Orindan who is of Danish-Norwegian descent gave her annual "Scandinavian Christmas Coffee." Of course, the house was decorated in the Scandinavain manner. As if Miraculously Marie received an air mail letter from her cousin, Dr. Otto Kofoed-Hansen of Copenhagen, Denmark, that he would be arriving for a visit in the Monohan home before going to Stanford University to attend the conference for scientists there.

Marie and he used to play together as children in Denmark. Marie was also saying that she and Odie attended a delightful party given by Jan and Henry Soubielle of Meadowland Court. Carols were sung and a delicious supper was served.

Dolores and Steve Glovna of Lafayette were there—a most talented couple. It seems that Steve paints and Dolores loves designing and was wearing a dress of her own plan which was marvelous.

LORETTA WIMPRESS and her friend Mrs. Marshall Gordon recently took their older children, Marianne Wimpress and Lance Gordon, to the Berkeley Community Theater where they were enthralled with the ballet "Nutcracker Suite."

While these children were being entertained, the mothers took their younger children to see Santa Claus by whom they were equally enthralled.

Virginia and Fred Lathem are expecting a visit soon from his parents, the Fred L. Lathems from Boise, Idaho. The proud grandparents are driving out and plan to stay for several weeks—the main attraction, naturally, being three darling children—Gary, Wende and a brand new baby.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Seroy of Lafayette were hosts at a large family Christmas gathering. Among those present were Virginia and Robert Franklin, also of Lafayette.

Add another fabulous party

Another fabulous holiday party was given by "Angel" and Robert Kerley of Danville. This is an annual affair and their charming home truly lends itself to htis type of gathering and was gorgeous in its Christmas array. Mrs. Kerley, who has been plagued with wearing a brace ever since she was thrown from a horse, managed to look her usual lovely self in a stunning black and white dress. "Lib" and Joe Tessler were there; Lib in a chic black lace sheath.

Spending Christmas in Chile are Gladys and Ott Gardner and their children. Gladys, a vivid, petite blonde, was born and reared there and her parents, who live on a ranch there, are connected with the wine industry. The main purpose of the trip is to help celebrate Gladys' parents' Golden Wedding Anniversary—but the Gardners will be visiting relatives and friends in Chile and the Argentine for at least two months.

As always, the Towhees substituted a party for their last meeting of the year. Gathering at Bobby McGuire's home in Happy Valley, the "girls" enjoyed egg-nogs and visiting. Shirley Wisecarver was the co-hostess. A special toast was made to the retiring president of the unit, "Gen" (Mrs. Larry) Dodge, who has done a tremendous leadership job.

MORE ABOUT THE McGUIRES: Peg and Jack Banniester (Peg is Bill McGuire's charming sister) and their children, Jack and Ann, are spending the holidays here—as always, staying at the Hotel Claremont. The Bannisters, who now live in Grosse Point Shores, Mich., have so very many friends in the Bay Area who are always so happy to welcome them "home."

For the Bannisters there is never a dul moment when they visit here. One of the bright spots of their stay will be the christening of little Robie McGuire at Santa Maria Church on Sunday when they will become godparents of that little jewel!

I do hope your Christmas was the happiest you've ever had!

Clarisse, James Are Engaged

The engagement of Clarisse LeDuc and James Louis Pitto, both of Walnut Creek, was announced December 11 by her parents at a family dinner party observing Clarisse's twenty-first birthday.

Clarisse also told her Zeta Tau Alpha sorority sisters at the University of California a week later.

She is a junior at the University and a decorative arts major. She graduated from Mt. Diablo High School.

James is a senior at the University of California, and a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity. He is a midshipman of the Naval ROTC unit there, and a 1954 graduate of Acalanes High School.

Their friendship which later ripened into love began when they were both first grade pupils at the old Walnut Creek Grammer School.

Clarisse's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Marc F. LeDuc of Hedgewood, Walnut Creek, and James' are Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Pitto of Alderwood Road, Walnut Creek.

The couple will be married in the summer.

Stark-Jordan Troth Told To 300 Guests at Party

Announced at a cocktail party for 300 guests of Dr. and Mrs. Roger A. Stark last Saturday, at the Stark home at 11 Vista del Mar, Orinda, was the engagement of the Starks' daughter, Barbara Lynn Stark, to Frank Hartwell Jordan.

Frank is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Jordan of Piedmont.

Both the young people are juniors at the University of California, where Barbara is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and Frank is affiliated with Zeta Psi fraternity.

A June 27 wedding is planned, to take place at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Oakland.

BARBARA is a graduate of Acalanes High School where she belonged to Daphne Branch of the Children's Hospital of the East Bay.

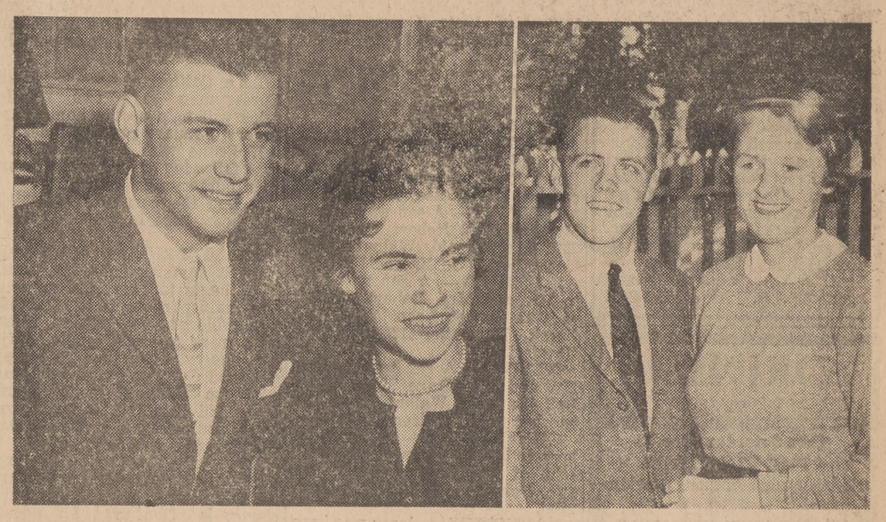
Her affiliations also include Thistle Branch of the Children's Hospital. At Cal she is social chairman for her sorority house.

She was internationally known as a top-ranking swimmer during her high school days, when she was a member of the 192 United State Olympic swim team. Also, she held the national women's backstroke swim record while still a teenager.

FRANK ATTENDED Piedmont and Menlo High Schools, graduating from the latter.

Barbara is the granddaughter of Mrs. Emma Stark of Livermore and the late Mr. Walter Stark of Spokane, and of Mrs. Florence Reynolds of Berkeley and the late Mr. William Reynolds of Quincy.

Frank is the grandson of Mr. Frank Sullivan of Piedmont and the late Mrs. Elsie Sullivan of San Francisco, and of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jordan of Alameda.



A SUMMER WEDDING is planned by Clarisse LeDuc and James Louis Pitto, both University of California students whose homes are in Walnut Creek. Their first meeting was during their first grade year at the old Walnut Creek Grammar School. James is an ROTC midshipman.

BETROTHED are Barbara Lynn Stark, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Roger A. Stark of 11 Vista del Mar, Orinda, and Frank Hartwell Jordan of Piedmont. Both are juniors at the University of California. They plan to be married next June 27.
—Hal Matson photo

Rowland, Needham Plans Told

An August wedding is planned by Miss Ann V. Rowland of Walnut Creek and William S. (Bud) Needham of Lafayette.

Ann is the daghter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Rowland of 30 Jeanette Court, Walnut Creek. William's parents are Dr. and Mrs. Paul Needham of 925 Reliez Valley Road, Lafayette.

Ann is a senior at the College of Holy Names, and the president of St. Luke's Art Guild. She is campus junior class vice president, a class representative of the Women's Athletic Association, a past member of the Theresians.

Her major is art and education, and she will go into teaching.

The future bridegroom is a senior at the University of California, majoring in industrial engineering.

He is a member of the Abracadabra fraternity, holds the office of house manager, and is a member of the American Institute of Industrial Engineers on campus and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

William is also a staff member of the California Engineer Publications and a house representative for the Blue and Gold.

Wheatman Will Discuss Decor At Club Meet

The Lafayette Women's Club will resume its meetings next year by having a very popular speaker at its January 7 program tea to be held at the Veterans Memorial Building at 1:30 p.m.

Mrs. Joseph Barker, program chairman, will introduce Mrs. John Wheatman from Jackson's Furniture store, who will give some pointers on interior decorating, a subject in the minds of many women after the holidays.

A "Silent Auction" will be held during the tea hour in the downstairs room.

Mrs. Harold Mutnick is tea chairman for the day and will be assisted by Mesdames Harold Elrod, Walter C. Meyer, Oscar Hubner, Charles Gass and H. L. Bryson.

Auxiliary Gives Yule Presents

Christmas presens for Concord Hospital from the Womens' Auxiliary were recently presented to W. G. Blackwell, Hospital Administrator by Mrs. George Corwin, Treasurer of the organization.

The gifts included a 16 m.m. sound projector which will be used for educational films by the hospital employees, medical staff and the auxiliary. Also given was a check for $1250 which is to be placed into a "special fund," and used for improvements in the new hospital.

Serving as chairmen of the projects which made this presentation possible were Mrs. R. G. Robinson, for the "Spring Fever" Fashion Show and Luncheon and Mrs. V. J. Cuendet for the October Rummage Sale.

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KELLY — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kelly of 191 Gordon Road, Walnut Creek, December 23 in Kaiser Hospital.

STONE — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stone of 1973 Faye Court, Pleasant Hill, December 23 in Kaiser Hospital.

RECK — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Reck of 206 Shore Road. Pleasant Hill, December 22 in Kaiser Hospital.

DeSOUSA — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert DeSousa of 2323 San Juan Avenue, Walnut Creek, December 22 in Kaiser Hospital.

BLANKSHIP — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blankenship of 1795 San Luis Road, Walnut Creek, December 21 in Kaiser Hospital.

HAMPSTON — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hampston of 30 Stradella Court, Walnut Creek, December 20 in Kaiser Hospital.

SHEVLIN — A daughter was was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Shevlin Jr. of 1146 Palomares Court, Lafayette, December 20 in Kaiser Hospital.

PON — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pon 2210 Hillside Court, Walnut Creek, December 19 in Kaiser Hospital.

HAMILTON — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hamilton of 1260 Kendall Court, Walnut Creek, December 19 in Kaiser Hospital.

BAYT — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bayt of 681 Jennie Court, Lafayette. December 19 in Kaiser Hospital.

KROG — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Krog of 35 Ardor Drive, Orinda, December 18 in Kaiser Hospital.

HOWALD — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howald of 1216 Alta Vista Court, Walnut Creek, December 17 in Kaiser Hospital.

REA — a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rea of 879 Audrey Court, Pleasant Hill, December 17 in Kaiser Hospital.

BROWN — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brown of 272 Boyd Road, Pleasant Hill, December 17 in Kaiser Hospital.

TIERNAN — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tiernan of 2616 San Antonio, Walnut Creek, December 17 in Kaiser Hospital.

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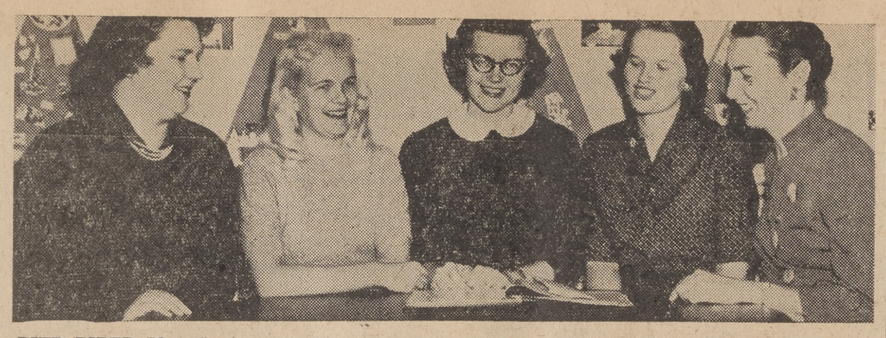
SILVER — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dave Silver of 121 LaBolsa Road, Walnut Creek, December 17 in Kaiser Hospital.

GITTELSOHN — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alan Gittelsohn of 3305 Betty Lane, Lafayette, December 16 in Kaiser Hospital.

HAEUSSLER — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haeussler of 41 Ravenwood Drive, Walnut Creek, December 13 in Concord Community Hospital.

McLAIN — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl McLain of 130 Cleopatra Drive, Pleasant Hill, December 11 in Concord Community Hospital.

MUNDT — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mundt of 1495 Pine Tree Drive, Walnut Creek, December 4 in Merritt Hospital, Oakland.



PIED PIPER Play Center new officers are, left to right, Mesdames George Holzman, treasurer; David Olson, second vice president; Richard Grover, president; Donald Bozorth, first vice president; George Madden, secretary. After the holidays, they will begin New Year plans in earnest.
—Sun photo by Jim Guthrie

Poor Pruning Might Cause Bad Fruit or Homely Trees

Pruning fruit trees is one garden job that frightens most beginning gardeners and confuses many with more experiences. Afraid to prune and affraid not to prune, many home gardeners listen to all the advice they get from fellow gardeners and often end up with poor fruit or homely trees.

The California Association of Nurserymen says two simple rules will help soothe home gardeners' January pruning blues:

1. Prune with a definite purpose following expert advice from your nurseryman and,

2. Use the correct tool which has been kept in excellent condition.

EARLY PRUNING of all fruit trees is somewhat similar. Until trees begin to bear, the gardener's main purpose is to establish a suitable growing pattern. Most fruit trees (almond, apple, apricot, cherry, olive, pear, persimmon and European plum) do best with the modified leader plan. Under this pruning method there is one main central stem and two branching main scaffolds.

The leader plan, which has one main stem and several secondaries forming a general pyramid shape, is often used for pecan and walnut trees. This is the most usual pruning method for non-fruiting ornamental trees as well.

An open center plan is often used with great success on almond, fig, nectarine, peach, Japanese plum and quince. Several branches of equal importance shape out from a common trunk is this plan.

AFTER THE MAIN growing plan has been established, annual pruning then becomes a matter of course, usually intended to produce the best possible fruit crop. Only three fruit trees, peaches, nectarines and apricots, require heavy pruning each year to give forth their best results.

Other trees need only thinning to remove spurs no longer bearing heavily. Each tree is slightly different in this aspect. In the cherry the annual pruning may mean the removal of less than 10 per cent o fthe bearing wood, while the Japanese plum must be thinned severely each year or the fruit will be many and small sized rather than fewer and larger.

Selection of good medium weight pruning shears may seem like an elementary recommendation for pruning success, but far too many home gardeners attack their pruning chores with clumsy kitchen utensils or hedge shears.

THIS CAN result in severe damage to the trees so mistreated, as well as to thumbs and fingers. Once the correct tool has been selected it should be kept clean, oiled and sharpened, preferably sharpened by a professional.

Expert pruning advice can be obtained from helpful local nurserymen who may also recommend a good guidebook on pruning, perhaps Sunset's "Pruning Handbook."

Fuses Blown? You Need Housepower!

If fuses have been blowing in your home with the holiday overload, or circuit breakers tripping, it is prudent to have an electrical expert check your wiring immediately.

Ernest G. Kramm, secretary of the Electrical Industry of Contra Costa County, made this point today in explaining that many existing homes have less than one-third of the electric power ability they need.

"Older homes often have only 30-ampere service," Kramm said, "with a basic capacity of 3600 watts, while a home today needs 100-ampere service with a basic capacity of 24,000 watts to handle the four dozen major and minor appliances in a modern American home."

The Electrical Industry secretary also pointed out that for only two per cent of the cost of a home under construction a family can add 100 per cent extra enjoyment with more power capacity. He said the cost of modernizing wiring in existing homes runs higher, but can be handled on terms as low as $5 to $10 per month.

"Electrical wiring is not a good, do-it-yourself field," Kramm said. "When an untrained person touches electrical wiring he endangers his life, voids most fire insurance policies, and often does not even save money because of leftover materials. It is wise to call an electrical contractor using qualified electricians."

Jewish Center Service Tonight

The Friday evening services will be held tonight at the Contra Costa Jewish Community Center, 3800 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Lafayette, starting at 8:30.

Dr. H. Hirsch Cohen, the rabbi of the congregation, will conduct the service and preach the sermon.

The candle-lighting and blessing of the wine will be under the direction of the Center religious chairman, Fred Katzberg of Walnut Creek. The oneg shabat, a reception for the Sabbath, will be under the direction of Mrs. Fred Katzberg of Walnut Creek, League of Jewish Women Sisterhood Oneg Shabat chairman.

Blaylock Is New Executive Of Council

Henry Blaylock, scout excutive of the Piedmont Boy Scout Council in Alameda County for 10 years, will join the executive staff of the Mt. Diablo Council on Wednesday, it has been announced by Victor Lindblad, Scout Excutive.

Blaylock is a graduate of The National Training School for scout executives, where he finished first in his class.

He has served as a district executive in The Mt. Diablo Council, serving what is now known as The San Pablo Bay District.

He has been identified with The Oakland Community Chest and Council of Community Services. Currently he is the chairman of its camping committee and is a member of the excutive committee of The Recreation Group Work Section of the council.

As a volunteer he served as Assistant Scout Master and Scout Master of troop 102, El Cerrito. When a Boy Scout he attained the rank of Eagle.

Blaylock succeeds John Youmans Executive of the Meridian District, who resigned to accept the position of Director of Program of The Mt. Diablo Council.

Local Libraries Getting Daily Book Delivery

Daily delivery of books, including new books and specially requested material, is now made to the major branch libraries in the Contra Costa County Library system, according to County Librarian Bertha D. Hellum.

Increasing demand for the informational type of library services is indicated by the fact that in October and November of this year 39 per cent more requests were received at county library headquarters from the 29 branch and station libraries and the Bookmobile than during the same two months of 1956.

Over 250,900 books were borrowed for home reading by adults and children during October and November, 22 percent more than in this period last year. Statistics for the same two months show that 26 per cent more reference and information questions were asked over the library desks than in 1956.

STANLEY PARTY

December 5 Betty Kenworthy of Kathleen Drive held a Stanley Party and invited her many friends to attend. The guests for the evening included Anne Patrick, Joann Cross, Elsa Dolan, Bev Smith, Thor Scott, Alice Fielding, Joan Christie and Ruth Yeager. The Stanley dealer was a local gal, Mrs. June Cunningham.

Selected Group of Leaders Set for College Symposium

A selected group of executives representing a cross section of western business and industry will convene at a Symposium on the Saint Mary's College campus, January 29 to 30. They will explore the ramifications of some basic problems executives are faced with today, according to Adrien J. Falk, Symposium chairman.

Sait Mary's College, sponsor of the meeting, has also invited academicians from the colleges and universities of the Bay area to participate in the discussions. These educators represent the fields of business administration, economics, the liberal arts and the physical sciences.

THE PURPOSE of the Symposium is two fold: Primarily it is intended to serve as a vehicle for leaders of industry and business to hear problems of broad scope presented by outstanding nationally recognized executives. Following the presentation the executives and the academicians will be divided into small discussion groups.

The second purpose of the meeting will be realized at the discussion groups. It is hoped that through the exchange of ideas by executives with diversified experiences and interests, a greater insight into common problems will be effected.

The approach attempted during the course of the Symposium is unique. It is neither a businessmen's conference nor a group of academicians lecturing at businessmen; but a group of responsible individuals representing industry, business and education attempting to arrive at common goals and values via the democracy of the discussion table.

Walter P. Paepcke, Chairman of the Board, Container Corporation of America, will deliver the openin gaddress January 29 on the theme "The Executive and the Western Tradition." Commenting on Paepcke's theme, Brother S. Dominic, F.S.C., head of the school of Liberal Arts at Saint Mary's College stated: "It is a matter of grave concern for the responsible members of our society to consider seriously their role in life as a manifestation of the Western Tradition.

"FREE ENTERPRISE is a part of this tradition. The problem our society faces today does not only involve paying lip service to our institutions but to attain also sufficient insight to defend it intelligently when under attack."

"The Executive and the Problem of Key Personnel Selection" will be presented by Jesse W. Trapp, Chairman of the Board, Bank of America. Dr. John H. Pauson of Saint Mary's psychologist and one of the discussion participants stated: "We would like to explore with the executives some of the broader problems involved in the selection of this important element of our economy. It is not merely the man's technical qualifications that should be evaluated but other factors that make up the individual's personality that should be considered for an intelligent choice."

On the other hand, the Chairman of Saint Mary's School of Business Administration and Economics, Brother U. Jerome, F.S.C., stated:

"I will be curious to discuss with these men of experience the question of how valuable the Liberal Arts program is in producing these leaders. Have men grounded in the principles of abstract thinking, with background in business courses developed into more valuable personnel than those who were merely technically trained for their assigned tasks?"

RECENT EVENTS in science make the presentation of Mark R. Sullivan, President of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, especially pertinent. The theme delivered by Mr. Sullivan, "The Executive and the Challenge of Science and Technology," will be discusssed by men representing every branch of the physical sciences.

An attempt will be made to define some of the problems that business, industry, science and society have in common.

The every increasing complexity of executive responsibility will be discussed by Willard W. Keith, President of Marsh and McLennan-Cosgrove and Company, in his presentation "The Executive and his Policy Masking Role." Dr. Victor Ferkiss, political scientist on the Saint Mary's College faculty afirmed: "The executive today not only faces the problem of policy making within his own organization but is called upon to render similar decisions that can affect the nation. Thus the executive is many times responsible for decisions that concern the welfare of the country and possibly the rest of the world.

"EXECUTIVES SHOULD consider this aspect of their role a permanent one and seriously evaluate themselves in terms of these demands made on them."

Concluding the Symposium, Joel H. Hildebrand, Professor of Chemistry, Emeritus, of the University of California will deliver the "Synthesis and Critique." Dr. Hildebrand belives that only with the assistance of an alert citizenry represented by the leading elements of our society can our nation produce scientific literates.

Safeway Sales Hit $2 Billion Mark

Safeway Stores, last night, became the first western business of any kind to break through the two billion dollar annual sales mark.

San Francisco Division Manager, Quentin Reynolds of Walnut Creek disclosed that consolidated sales reports for the 50 weeks of 1957 when totaled at Safeway's Oakland, headquarters reached $2,032,000,000.

Historically, 16 other U.S. companies have crossed the annual sales mark of two billion dollars, according to a check of financial records of all fields of business and industry. None of these companies headquarter west of Chicago. Outside the United States, only four other business organizations have surpassed this annual sales figure.

"Of course, many businesses have better profit records on their sales than do we in the retail grocery field where only one to two cents out of every sales dollar become net earnings," Reynolds said, "but we naturally are pleased with such sales growth because after only four decades it represents a lot of satisfied customers and that's our main objective."

Safeway, the first western business to reach this sales level, also is the youngest by two decades of the major businesses that have done so. While the others started at the turn of the century or before, Safeway has grown from a single grocery store founded in the Pacific Northwestern town of American Falls, Idaho, in 1915.

Founder M. B. Skaggs now resides at Oakland and has watched the company grow from his original self-built store building until now it operates in 25, mostly western states and the five westernmost Canadian Provinces.

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County Population Soars To All-Time Record High

Contra Costa's population today is 438,941, according to a postal survey summary announced by Mrs. Iona M. Booth, manager of the Contra Costa County Development Association. The survey is made on the basis of postal services.

A postal survey last year showed a population for Contra Costa as being 423,108.

Greatest single increase in area since 1950 is the Pleasant Hill-Concord area, up from 6953 to 73,432.

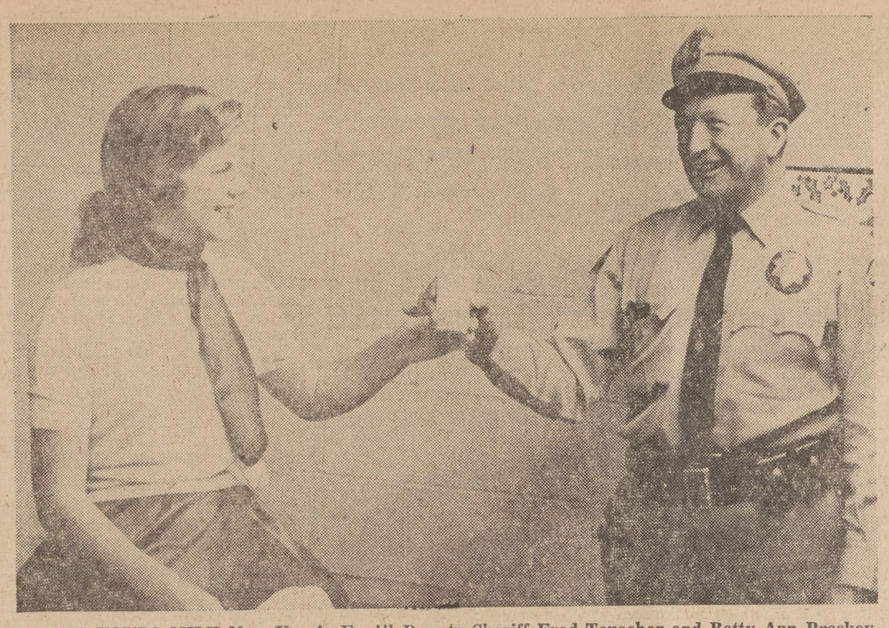
Walnut Creek follows — up from 2420 in 1950 to a booming 37,232 in 1957.

Lafayette, which recorded 12,369 in 1952, now totals 19,236. Orinda has gone from 7500 in 1952 to 13,000.

Source material including the Post Offices has been obtained from United States census figures, the incorporated cities and military officals at Camp Stoneman.

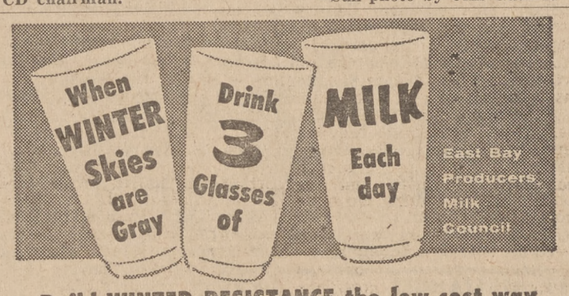
The following is the population chart by townships as compiled by the Development association and edited by The Sun giving complete population figures for the central county area and totals for 1957 in other areas of the county.

Township	1950	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
1 Martinez, Mt. View, Vine Hill, Alhambra, Total	13,632	16,500	20,100	19,086	19,750	21,150	21,700
2 Port Costa	595	535	420	500	500	500	500
3 Alamo		750	775	875	950	1,050	1,064
Walnut Creek	2,420	24,407	27,467	30,330	33,533	35,913	37,232
Saranap Canyon		350	224	224	212	185	175
Lafayette	(24,507)	12,369	11,473	14,525	16,800	17,500	19,236
Moraga		350	382	304	444	720	808
Orinda		7,500	8,500	9,500	12,000	13,600	13,000
St. Mary's		650	525	650	750	825	850
TOTAL	26,927	46,376	49,346	56,408	64,689	69,793	72,365
4 Danville		3,720	5,680	6,272	8,232	8,500	8,872
Diablo		325	425	590	520	650	502
San Ramon		287	200	363	296	428	435
TOTAL	(2,925)	4,332	6,305	7,225	9,048	9,578	9,809
Pleasant Hill	6,953	46,000	48,000	50,750	56,962	69,695	73,432
Associated		225	215	113			
Cowell	(18,706)	220	250	250	250	250	250
Pacheco				1,452	1,750	2,275	2,300
TOTAL	25,659	46,445	48,465	52,565	58,962	72,220	75,982
6 Pittsburg							36,982
7 El Cerrito Berkeley Park and Kensington Park							31,713
8 Antioch							20,232
9 Brentwood							5,470
10 San Pablo, Giant, El Sobrante, East Richmond, North Richmond, Rollingwood, Total							44,400
11 Hercules, Pinole, Rodeo Total	7,705	8,415	9,144	9,747	9,918	10,468	10,443
12 Crockett, Selby Total		7,400	6,700	5,300	5,100	4,700	4,700
13 Cayton	628	628	413	297	370	380	380
14 Byron	1,413	600	700	1,100	1,000	1,200	1,200
15 Richmond	99,545	108,105	101,662	95,038	92,540	91,050	91,450
16 Port Chicago, Nichols, Clyde Total		3,750	4,000	2,765	2,800	3,004	2,660
17 Oakley, Bethel Island, Knightsen, Total		7,100	7,100	10,500	10,300	9,900	8,965
COUNTY Totals	298,984	351,461	369,929	372,528	399,224	423,108	438,941



"MAKE YOURS MILK New Year's Eve!" Deputy Sheriff Fred Teuscher and Betty Ann Proskey say as they prepare to ring in 1958. An intensified campaign against drunk drivers is under way with all law enforcement agencies participating to try and prevent needless deaths or injuries over the holidays. —Sun photo by Jim Guthrie

DANGER THAT children in schools my be cut off without supplies in the event of a civil defense emerngecy is being met by the installation in each classroom of the Walnut Creek School District of cans with medical and other needed items. This is part of the program being directed by Bill Flynn, left, district CD coordinator. Left to right are Flynn, Teresa Goins, Parkmead Upper sixth grader, and Mrs. P. M. Hinton, Parkmead CD chairman. —Sun photo by Jim Guthrie



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Do Trees, Shrubs Need Spraying? Here Are Points

Do our trees and shrubs need spraying at this time?

This is a question asked by a great many home owners according to A. L. Seeley, Agricultural Commissioner for Contra Costa County.

Seeley says that many individuals are confused on this question of spraying because they have such a great variety of trees and shrubs and are constantly hearing about new types of spray material for the control of troublesome insects and diseases.

First of all, reports Seeley, don't spray and don't allow anyone else to spray for you unless you know exactly what you are going to control.

Secondly he says, don't spray just because you find a few insects or there is a small amount of moss on your walnut trees. Be sure there is a REAL need to spray.

Seeley reports that there is evidence that many people are having their backyard trees sprayed when there is absolutely no need for it. If you are not sure about spraying, call the County Department of Agriculture, MU 5-4115.

Or if you are having a commercial pest control operator do your spraying, learn from him by insisting that he show you the insects and diseases that he is trying to control.

Bernard Olsen Is Promoted

Bernard E. Olsen of Walnut Creek has been appointed assistan export manager of Kaiser Steel Corporation, W. J. Gleason, export manager, announced today.

Olsen has been with Kaiser Steel's export sales department in Oakland since 192. Before joining Kaiser Steel, he was with the sales departments of Morse Export-Import Company and Standard Brands, Inc., both San Francisco firms.

A native of Burns, Oregon, Olsen is a graduate of Stanford University. He has also done graduate work at the American Institute for Foreign Trade in Phoenix, Arizona.

During World War 11, Olsen served as lieutenant in the U.S. Navy's submarine service. He is currently a director of the Oakland World Trade Club.

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Workers Can File Now For Benefits

Severely disabled workers 50 to 65 years of age who could qualify for the new social security disability benefits which became payable last July, will lose some of their monthly payments if they do not apply to their social security district offices before January 1, announced Morgan J. Shea, district manager of the Berkeley social security office today.

Qualified workers who make application for disability insurance benefits before the end of December can be paid benefits back as far as the month of July, Shea said. After December, no back benefits can be paid.

To be eligible for social security disability insurance benefits between 50 and 65 years of age, a worker must have a disability so severe that he cannot do any substantial gainful work.

Lieut. C. C. Wise With Navy Reserves

While most people work hard all week for the enjoyment of relaxing on Saturdays and Sundays, out at the Oakland Naval Air Station, home of the "Weekend Warriors," the Reservists are undergoing a busy training schedule on the latest Navy methods.

Lieutenant Charles C. Wise, USNR-R, who lives at 2630 Rose Place with his wife and daughter, is a member of the Organized Naval Air Reserves.

In civilian life he is with the U. C. Radiation Labratory, but for two days each month and two weeks each year he dons the Navy uniform to become a part of one of the most important segments of the Navy and the rapidly expending Naval Air Reserve Program.

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Acalanes students who participated in the two and a half hour long test on American History had the highest group score among high schools in Contra Costa.

As top scoring group in the county, Acalanes Principal Stanley Walgren has elected to receive a $100 check for the purchase of books for the Don library.

Joan Haefela, Acalanes senior, also won an individual place award for her high score in the test.

GARDENER'S CHECKLIST

1. Happy New Year! The bare root season is here .
2. Roses, flowering trees and shrubs, shade trees, berry vines, grape vines, and strawberries can all be planted now. Major landscape improvements can be made easily at this favorable time.
3. Don't wait until the end of the bare root season to pick your favorite of the new roses. Many will be in short supply because of high demand.
4. If you have an uncultivated area you wish to cover temporarily broadcast wild flower seeds around. The winter rains will establish them.
5. If your older shrubs are beginning to outgrow the space you had assigned to them, now is a good time to rearrange the garden.

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5. LAFAYETTE

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SECLUDED brick cottage, almost 5 acres, fenced, 4 stall barn, creek, trees, $19,500. Excellent terms. Mason, AT 4-4665.

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7. WALNUT CREEK

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1 BEDROOM DUPLEX—LAFAYETTE
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UNFURNISHED 3 room court apartments, 1 bdrm. Wall to wall carpets, electric stove, refrigerator. Laundry facilites. Garage available. 959 Hough, Lafayette.

2 BEDROOM, unfurnished at 23 Christiansen Lane, W.C. Available Nov. 16th., $92.50. YE 4-0884 or YE 4-4229.

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LAFAYETTE, Sunset village. 1 bedroom duplex, unfurnished. Garage, $85. YE 4-6916.

3 BEDROOM unfurnished house, enclosed back yard. Available January 1. YE 4-8652.

1 BEDROOM unfurnished house. Wall - to - wall carpet, drapes, adults. Walking distance. W. C. $80. YE 5-5863.

ORINDA — 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, unfurnished. Separate dining . . . beautiful patio. 18 months lease. $175 monthly. Immediate occupancy. Agent, CLifford 4-4947.

SMALL cottage for lady. Stove - refrigerator included. Rent $47.50 including utilities. Close to town. YE 5-2341.

20. RENTALS

FURNISHED studio cottage, 1 room, kitchen and bath. Single person or working couple, references, $65. YE 5-2332.

MODERN 2 bedroom close in, stove, yard, water, $95. YE 4-2309.

LAFAYETTE: 1 bedroom apartment, near Mt. Diablo-Pleasant Hill bus stop. Garage, stove, refrigerator, $85. YE 4-4175.

Apartment, 1384 Oakland Blvd., W.C., new modern units, heated pool. Functional units. Wall to wall carpeting, draperies, stove, refrigerator, disposal. 1 bedroom units, $85; 2 bedroom units, $115. YE 5-7048.

TWO bedroom house, garage, good condition. Walnut Creek. YE 4-5740.

430 ACRES pasture near Hayward, good fences, water. $2500 per season. GLencourt 2-4527.

UNFURNISHED 3 bedroom ranch, rumpus with bar, patio, $100. VE 7-2785.

3 ROOM rear cottage, furnished, $70. Adults, no pets. Walnut Creek. YE 4-2563.

FOR RENT or lease: 3 bedroom, fenced yard, near school and shopping. Available Jan. 1st. 3164 Rogers Ave. P. H. $125 on lease. OLympic 3-0486.

2 BEDROOMS, lots of privacy, beautiful view, $110. AT 3-3135.

3 ROOM furnished duplex, carport, gas, water, $85. 910D Bell Street, Lafayette. Inquire: 910A or phone AT 4-4505.

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MALE, 30, white, wants part time work. Will try anything. YE 4-6798 after 6.

IRONING in my home. Call evenings except Friday, YE 4-3808.

EXPERT alterations. Work guaranteed. YE 4-7253 afternoons only

HANDY MAN HOUSE DOCTOR Odd jobs, misc. service, emergency pool service and repairs. Call YE 5-0038 anytime after 8 a.m.

HANDYMAN with pickup wants any kind of work. MU 5-3833 before 8 a.m.

EXPERIENCED gardener wants part time gardening work, $2 hr.. references. OLympic 8-4048

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28. HELP WANTED

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MECHANICALLY inclined young man with automotive knowledge as stock and sales clerk in auto supply store. References required. Main Auto Supply, 1634 Main St. Walnut Creek.

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29. LOST and FOUND

LOST: Little brown male dog, part chihuahua and part fox terrier. "Tinker." Little white spot on chest, scar over right eye. AT 4-4146.

MISSING: "Skipper," Boxer build and color, long tail, floppy ears, chain collar and license. AT 3-2991. Reward.

29. LOST and FOUND

LOST: Mother's gift left in wrong car in Bi-Rite parking lot, Friday. AT 3-2092.

30. NEW CARS

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PARTS — SERVICE SALES
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1890 N. Main YE 4-8224

31. USED CARS

1952 English Ford Prefect, 18,000 miles $175. Weekdays after 6 p.m. AT 3-6503.

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1953 SUPER Olds four door. Radio, heater, hydramatic. Ex. paint, tires. $895. CL 4-2685.

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OLDS, 1957 4-door pink Holiday, r & h, power steering, brakes. Owner. $2975. MU 5-5068.

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33. APPLIANCES

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GAS range, good condition, $25. AT 3-3135.

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LONELY SKIERS!
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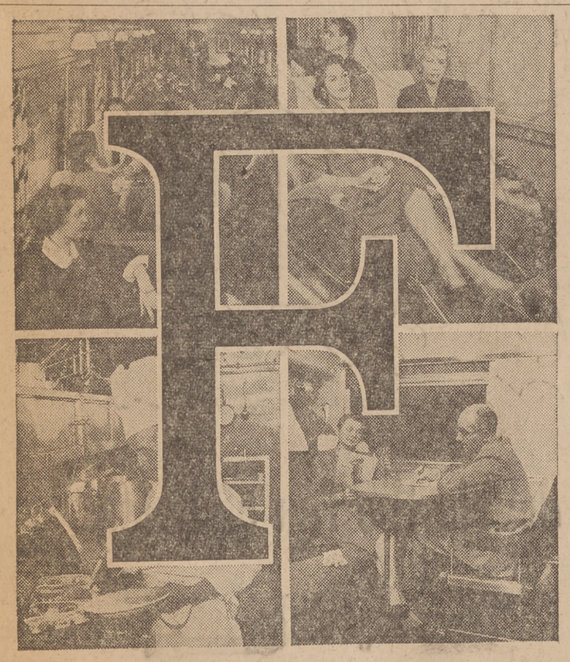

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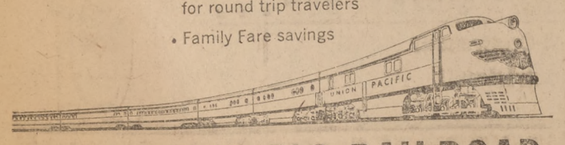

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Holidays End Prep Hoop Play

Rams, Dons, Mats Knights Prepare For League Opener

The 1958 hoop season opens league play on Friday, January 10 and with clubs not returning to school until the turn of the new year it leaves little time for practice or practice games.

Pleasant Hill doesn't return until January 6 and gets in one practice game at Livermore on the 7th before opening with Antioch at Pleasant Hill on the 10th.

LAS LOMAS comes back to school on the 2nd as does Acalanes and Miramonte.

The Las Lomas Knights really take to the road when they travel to Davis Aggie College up near Sacramento to play the Cal Agie Junior Varsity.

They play another league game on January 7 when they travel again to play Vallejo. The Cal Aggie game is to start at 7 p.m. and the Vallejo tilt is an afternoon affair starting at 3:15.

The Knights open league play with Diablo in Walnut Creek, with the Bees starting at 7:30 p.m.

MIRAMONTE opens the new year with a practice game at Albany High January 3.

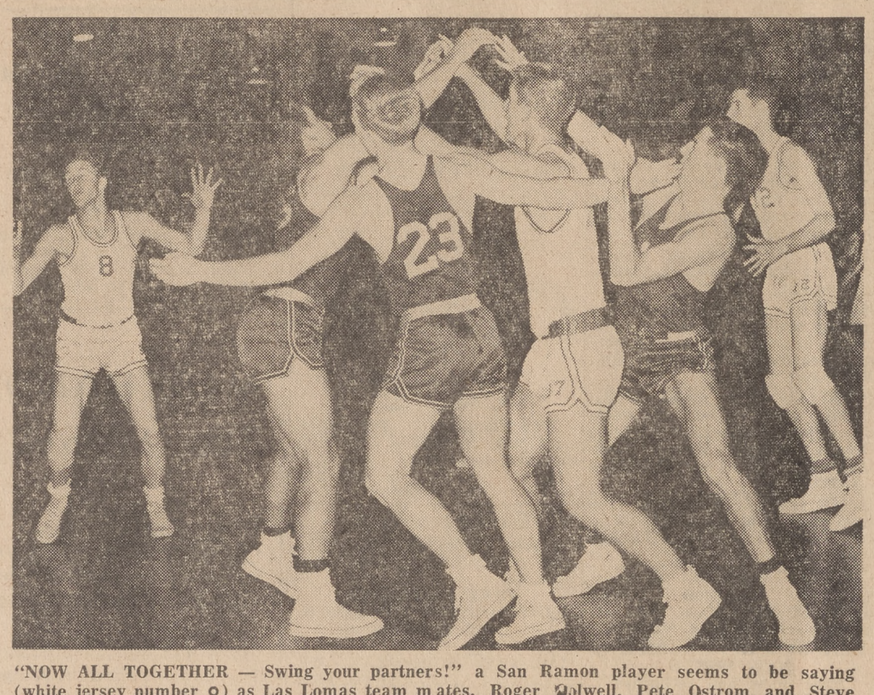
The Miramonte Matadors close their practice season when they play San Ramon at Danville with the Bees opening at 3:30 p.m.

League play for Miramonte will start January 10 when they play Pittsburg at Miramonte. The Bees open at 7:30 p.m.

ACALANES returns to school January 2 for a day of practice then plays San Ramon January 3 at 7 in Danville.

The Dons wind up practice play with John Swett at Crockett on January 7 with the Bees starting at 3:30 p.m.

League play opens January 10 when teh Dons travel to Pacifica. The Bees start at 7:30 p.m.



"NOW ALL TOGETHER — Swing your partners!" a San Ramon player seems to be saying (white jersey number 8) as Las Lomas team mates, Roger Dolwell, Pete Ostrom and Steve Moore, in dark jerseys, reach for that elusive basketball. —Sun photo by Mattson

Grunt and Groan Becomes Popular Sport in County

Wrestling, sometimes known as the grunt and groan sport, has become very active in local prep circles.

It has been very popular in the Bay Area for a good number of years, but in Contra Costa County it has been a recent development.

THREE YEARS AGO Pacifica High was the only one in the competitive field. This year Mt. Diablo, Pleasant Hill, Pittsburg, Miramonte and Acalanes have joined the ranks. In fact, a county tournament will be held to determine league champions February 17.

Twelve weight divisions are competed, and all but the heavyweights must weigh in the day of a match and if they fail to make the required weight the match is forfeited.

REGULATIONS are strict with no holds allowed for the sole purpose of punishment.

Points are given for taking an opponent of his feet and gaining a position of advantage, for getting away from an opponent when he has the advantage (top position), for reversing positions (bottom to top) and for near falls.

The match is divided into three rounds. The first is two minutes on the feet. In the second round one is down and one on top and in the third round positions are reversed.

A FALL in the first round terminates the match.

A fall in the second round ends the round and in the third round the opponent must get a fall in shorter time in order to win.

A fall in the third round terminates the bout. In event no falls are obtained in the match, it is decided on a point basis.

WRESTLING is recognized as one of teh top skill sports and requires both agility and strength.

Opponents are matched on weight basis. The weights are as follows: 103, 112, 127, 133, 138, 145, 154, 165, 175, 191 and heavyweight.

After the first of the year, two pounds are added to each weight division and as of February 1 another pound is added to each division. This is to account for a boy's natural growth.

Kiger Now Home On Navy Leave

Glynn L. Kiger arrived home Sunday on 14-day leave after 10 weeks training at NTS, San Diego. Glynn, who graduated from Mt. Diablo High School last year, lives at 1449 Cape Cod Way with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Frank Kiger.

He has been assigned to further schooling at Norman, Okla., and Memphis, Tenn. He will receive training in jet mechanics.

Sideline Slants

By ERWIN MATTSON

The Miramonte Basketball Jamboree held at the Miramonte gym in Orinda found a lot of hoop action.

As predicted, Las Lomas came through undefeated with Acalanes winding up second. Clubs were handicapped the first night of play by a very slippery floor. Lots of reasons were advanced for the situatoin—none of which could be proved.

Saturday, a "no-slip" preparation was applied and it did the job. The caliber of ball picked up as a result of sure footing.

Plaudits for Callow

Coach Merrill Callow comes in for plaudits for a well drilled club that won all the way. Callow is not only a fine coach but a fine opponent to deal with. Men of his caliber are a credit to the coaching profession.

FIRST YEAR Acalanes mentor Dan Glines did a good job particularly in the Las Lomas game when it went down to the wire before the Knights won 33-30.

Miramone Coach Bob Callan did a terrific job in planning and carrying out the tournamen.t Lots of hard work goes into such a project and many hours were put in on it. His club played some fine ball particularly in the Piedmont game when they were at their best.

An estimated 2000 saw the two nights play and there would would have been naother 1000 if fog and rain hadn't interfered.

ROOTING SECTIONS were on the disappointing side as Miramonte was the only one really organized and going all out in the two nights of play.

It would be interesting to know how many players' parents showed up. A boy likes his parents to be present whether he states it vocally or not.

A real probem

One problem at Acalanes has been a very limited gym space so that many adults have given up trying to get in an chances are that there will be no solution to the problem.

You can bet a satellite will hit the moon before Acalanes gets a new gym. New schools and ever increasing enrollments present an even bigger problem.

One thing certain is that the up and coming grammar school students at Miramonte will be ready for the dances when they reach the prep age.

The gym was filled with empty seats while the multi-purpose room was filled with dancing couples.

Knights Nail Wolves Here

The Las Lomas Knights coasted to an easy win over San Ramon December 18 when they chalked up a 43-28 win after the Bee game was won by the Knight's 29-21.

The game, played in the Las Lomas gym, found Coach Merrill Callow using every player on the squad. Big Art Dalbey looked good as he copped scoring honors with 11 points on four field goals and three free throws.

THE KNIGHTS rolled to a 17-7 first quarter lead and when reserves took over the scoring slowed down with a 4-4 draw in the second canto.

It was Las Lomas in the third period 12-9 and they took the final frame 10-8.

As has been the case in every game to date rebounds were the differenc as Las Lomas controlled the Boards getting 40 rebounds to 31 for Danville.

Las Lomas committed 17 fouls to San Ramon's 18.

IN THE SHOOTING department, neither club hit a very high percentage. In field Goals, Las Lomas hit 15-52 for 29 percent, while San Ramon had eight for 39 or 21 percent. From the free throw line, the winners had 13-25 and San Ramon posted 12-25.

Steve Moore was a standout with his all around floor play while Roger Cowell drew praise for his fine defensive work.

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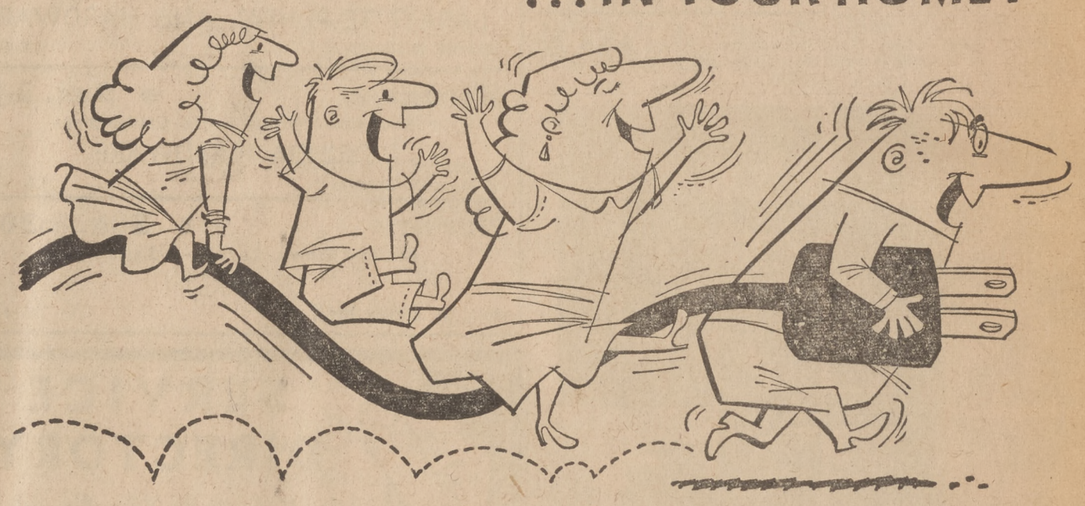

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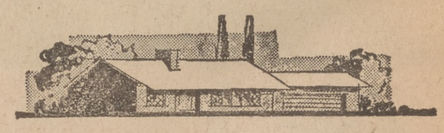

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Christian Science churches in this area are located at 22 Orinda Highway, Orinda, and 1347 Locust Street, Walnut Creek. The Christian Science Society of Pleasant Hill meets at the Hillcrest Congregational Church on Gregory Lane.

Scriptural readings in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Christian Science" will include the account in John (4:46-53) of Jesus' healing of the ruler's son that lay sick at Capernaum.

From "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will be read the following (329:1): "As time moves on, the healing elements of pure Christianity will be fairly dealt with; they will be sought and taught, and will glow in all the grandeur of universal goodness."

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